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Amusements.

NEW ARMORY HALL.

GRAND CHARITY BALL!
To be given under the auspices of
THE LADIES' BENEVOLENT SOCIETY!
Thursday, February 17, 1887.

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TICKETS, admitting lady and gentleman, $3; each additional lady, 50c. Tickets for sale at BARTLETT'S music store, W. First st.

AGRICULTURAL PARK.

SECOND ANNUAL RACE MEETING!
—OF THE—
LOS ANGELES WHEELMEN.
FEBRUARY 22D, WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS.
1—Half mile, open.
2—One mile, club.
3—120 yards dash, foot-race.
4—2-mile, L. A. W. State championship.
5—Half mile, club championship.
6—Slow race.
7—5 mile, open.
8—1 mile dash, boys under 18.
9—220 yards dash, foot-race.
10—3 mile, club.

GOLD AND SILVER MEDALS
FOR EACH EVENT.

A band of music in attendance. Main-street cars run every ten minutes to the Park.
ENTRANCE FEE, FIFTY CENTS.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

H. C. WYATT........................Manager.

ENGAGEMENT EXTRAORDINARY!
WEEK OF MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH.
—THE JUSTLY CELEBRATED—

CARLETON

—OPERA COMPANY!—

Under the management and personal direction of the favorite artist Mr. W. T. CARLETON.

REPERTOIRE.
Monday, Tuesday and Saturday Matinee ....NANON
Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday ....ERMINIE
Friday and Wednesday Matinee ....MIKADO

SCALE OF PRICES—Dress Circle and Parquet, $1 50; Balcony (reserved), 75c.; Gallery, 50c. Seats on sale on and after February 11th (Friday), at 10 a.m.

WASHINGTON GARDENS.

OSTRICH FARM NOW OPEN!
Take Main-street car; stops at the gate.
HORTICULTURAL, BOTANICAL AND ZOOLOGICAL DISPLAY!
Admission..................Twenty-five cents.
CAWSTON & FOX, Lessees.

Special Notices.

☞EARLY IN MARCH NEXT WE will begin the publication of a monthly paper, for free distribution, devoted to the real-estate and business interests of Los Angeles city and county; parties having desirable city or country property, mercantile or manufacturing business they would like to dispose of at fair prices, are requested to furnish us with a description of same for publication; we shall make no charge for advertising, our sole object being to keep constantly before the public the many opportunities this section of the country offers for profitable investment. H. H. WILCOX, 34 N. Spring st.

☞G. A. R. NOTICE—AS THERE will be a large number of delegates to the twentieth Department Encampment of California, G. A. R., to be held in this city, arrive here on Sunday next at noon, it is most earnestly requested that all of our citizens who can furnish one or more furnished rooms for the accommodation of our visitors leave word how many they can accommodate with A. W. BARRETT, at No. 6 Court st. By request of the Committee of Arrangements.

☞ROGERS & PHILLEO, REAL-ESTATE agents; main office, 134 N. Main st.; branch office, west end of Temple-st. cable road. Having lived in the city and county 18 years, we are well posted on the valuation of property. We have some of the finest property in the city and county and will take pleasure in showing any one that desires to purchase anything in our line.

☞GELCICH W. R. C.—GELCICH Relief Corps No. 22, East Los Angeles, will give an entertainment Friday evening, February 18, at Campbell's Hall. The programme will be an interesting one, consisting of music, readings, refreshments, and finish with dancing.

FIVE CENTS A LINE.

Church and Society Notices.

SERIES OF SERVICES—REV. F. VON Schluembach, the German evangelist, will hold the following meetings during this week: Wednesday, 3 p.m., and every afternoon during the week, Bible reading in English at the M. E. Church South, Fort st., 7:30 p.m. lecture in English at the Fort st. M. E. Church, on the topic, "Germany's Christian Development in Our Day." Thursday, 7:30 p.m., evangelistic address in German at the M. E. Church South, on Fort st. Friday, 7:30 p.m., lecture in English at the Congregational Church on the topic, "Practical Christianity and Its Work Among the Outcasts of the World." Saturday, 7:30 p.m., German Bible reading at the M. E. Church South, on Fort st. Sunday the 20th, 11 a.m., sermon at the M. E. Church South, Fort st.; 3 p.m., German sermon at the M. E. Church South, Fort st., where, by the courtesy and kindness of that church, every Sunday at 3 p.m. the congregation of the German Evangelical Synod of North America, Rev. P. Branke, pastor, worships, and all Germans are most heartily welcome. The evangelist is the representative of that synod. Admission free; all are invited.

SALVATION MEETINGS EVERY night in Nadeau basement, cor. First & Spring.

Lost and Found.

STRAYED—1 BAY HORSE, 1250 LBS.; 1 sorrel horse, 1250 lbs.; left barn at 5 a.m., February 14th, cor. College ave. and Buena Vista st.; liberal reward for any information leading to their recovery or return. RAMISH & OFF., Pacific Truck Company, No. 11 Market st.

$50 REWARD WILL BE PAID FOR my solitaire diamond earring, if returned to McDonell's drug store, Rose block.

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For Sale.

For Sale—City Property.

FOR SALE—BY THE OWNER—SOME very desirable building lots, as follows:
Four lots, 50x150 feet each, on the clean side of Figueroa st., corner of Montgomery st.; will sell one lot for $2100.
Two choice lots on the corner of Main st. and Jenkins ave. (clean corner), 60x150 and 54x150 feet, a beautiful place, cheap.
One lot on Grand ave., near Tenth st.; 50x157 feet to an alley; price and terms very reasonable.
One lot; 44x160, on west side Maple ave., near Seventh st., one block from Main; price and terms to suit.
Three lots on Alta st., in the Pritchard tract, East Los Angeles, 50x150 feet, near Downey ave.
These lots will be sold cheap if applied for soon. Inquire at 218½ S. Spring st., room 29, upstairs.

FOR SALE—A FEW SPECIAL BARgains in business property on Los Angeles, Main and Spring sts., close in; also on First and Second sts., near the A., T. and S. F. Railroad grounds; also a few corner lots in Ramona.
$6000—Fine house of 7 rooms on Hill st., between Tenth and Eleventh.
$2700—Nice place on Flower st., between Tenth and Eleventh.
$600 per acre—50 acres between Ward and Ninth sts., near new Baptist College.
$2500—Lot 60x155 on Flower st., near Tenth; a bargain. BRADSHAW & ZELLNER, Room 23, upstairs, 33 S. Spring st.

FOR SALE—LOTS IN CABLE ROAD tract, between Temple and Diamond sts.; the dummy extension of the Second-st. cable road is now being built past this tract; positively the healthiest part of the city; level lots, yet fine ocean view; water piped to front of every lot; these lots are as near the postoffice as the corner of Washington and Main sts.; and selling for one-fifth of the prices in that locality; price, from $250 to $400; terms, $30 down, $10 per month thereafter; these lots will certainly double in value when communication is established. Apply to PICKIT & KELLEY, No. 302 N. Main st.

FOR SALE—STORY AND A HALF cottage house, lawn, flowers, palms, fruit trees, hydrant water, etc.; lot 50x170; beautiful view and only half a block from Temple-st. cable road; price, $3000; also, lot 58x150, on York st., west of Washington Gardens, with 20 large orange trees in full bearing; price, $1200; also, lots in the Ellis, Urmston and Victor Heights tracts. W. D. ROOT, 25 Temple st.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—310 S. Olive, house and lot; fine two-story house, 13 rooms, with abundance of closets and all modern conveniences; lot 120x165 ft.; fine view, overlooking the valley to the ocean; will take in part payment good city or country property. Apply at 119 New High st., to R. M. WIDNEY.

FOR SALE—INSTALLMENT PLAN, elegant home on Downey ave., East Los Angeles; two-story house with all modern conveniences, just built; price, $5000; cash, $1000; balance on installments, $50 a month; rare chance to secure a fine home with little immediate outlay. Address S. A. W., Times office.

FOR SALE—HOUSE OF 7 ROOMS, nicely-furnished, well-established, and lease for 2 years; rent reasonable; wish to sell on account of sickness; ladies wishing to invest will call at premises, No. 13 Sepulveda st., Los Angeles, Cal. SYDNEY CARTON.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN—LOT AND and house of 10 rooms and bathroom on Chestnut st., East Los Angeles. For price and terms apply to BARCLAY, WILSON & REDICK, Attorneys-at-law, Rooms 1, 3, 4 and 5, Bumiller block, 39 N. Spring st.

FOR SALE—THE FOLLOWING choice property:
Elegant lot on Virgin st......................$900
35½ ft. near new postoffice......................7500
ROCHESTER & LAYTON, 9 N. Main st.

FOR SALE—THE BEST CHANCE FOR a home ever offered in the Hepburn Association; a $1000 house and $450 lot, all for $390; $30 cash and $15 per month; no interest; possession given May 14th. SOMMERS & LOVE, 134 N. Main.

FOR SALE—CHEAP—AN ELEGANT 9-room house, with barn, lot 100x200, situated on one of Pasadena's loveliest avenues; pure air, mountain water, magnificent views, street-car line. Address Owner, Box 496, Pasadena.

FOR SALE—HEPBURN NOTICE—Having purchased all the remaining lots in the Hepburn Homestead Association, we will continue to sell the same at $390 each. SUMMERS & LOVE, 134 N. Main st.

FOR SALE—HOUSE OF FIVE ROOMS, with cellar, cistern and furniture; plenty of shrubbery and fruit trees. Apply No. 26 N Daly st., East Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—A PRIME CORNER, ½ acre, 105.5x176; makes 3 lots; $1800, next 10 days. Apply 87 Montgomery st.

For Sale—Country Property.

FOR SALE—AT DUARTE, 42 ACRES, finely improved, with 30 shares water stock, at $12,000; also, at Azusa, two 40-acre tracts, adjoining, in bearing fruit trees and vines, at $4000 each; also, one 30-acre tract, corner property, with house, well of water, family orchard, etc., at $3000; also, 30 acres, with house, stable, family orchard, etc., at $3000; also, 10 acres, at $800. W. D. ROOT, 25 Temple st.

For Sale—Live Stock.

FOR SALE—50 HEAD FINE YOUNG dairy cows and heifers, all in calf by thoroughbred Shorthorn Durham bull, Kirk Levington No. 10; will give purchaser bargain in the cattle. Address FRANK WINFIELD, Lemoore, Tulare county, Cal.

FOR SALE—CHEAP. GOOD MILCH cows, registered Jersey bull, dairy utensils, two spring wagons, buggy, and five good, gentle horses. For price and to view, call at the Cienega ranch, Washington st., or address W. DENBY, Box 545, city.

FOR SALE—A KIND, GENTLE FAMily horse; perfectly safe for a lady; price $150. Call at 857 S. Hill street.

FOR SALE—A SPAN OF NO. 1 1200-pound mares; cheap. W. G. MALONE, 117 Aliso.

FOR SALE—TWO LARGE HORSES and two cows. 320 Fort st.

For Sale—Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—SEVERAL COTS, STANDS and tables, very cheap, at No. 103 N. Fort st., upstairs.

FOR SALE—GOOD JEWELRY STORE, situated in the center of the prosperous town of San Bernardino. Address P. O. Box 147, San Bernardino, Cal.

FOR SALE—AN IRON STORE-FRONT; 1 girder, 22 ft. long; 5 columns, 12 ft. high; 5 T plates, 12 ft. high; 4 double sash doors, frames and transoms; doors 9-4x4-4x2 inches thick; also, inside finish to store-front. Address D. R., Times office.

FOR SALE—DIARIES FOR 1887, BY OLMSTEAD & WALES, 19 W. First st.

Money To Loan.

TO LOAN—THE UNDERSIGNED HAS had placed in his hands three large sums, which will be loaned at low rates of interest. H. GRIFFIN, room 3, No. 28 N. Spring st., Los Angeles, Cal.

MONEY TO LOAN ON NOTES, AND bills discounted or bought. Address full particulars in confidence to BANKING, P. O. Box 1194, Los Angeles, Cal.

MONEY TO LOAN ON MORTGAGE. MORTIMER & HARRIS, attorneys-at-law, 78 and 78a, Temple block.

$100,000 TO LOAN, AT LOWEST rate of interest. A. J. VIELE, room 23, Schumacher block.

MONEY TO LOAN—$2000 ON MORTgage. Inquire at 23 Aliso st.

Business Opportunities.

PARTNER WANTED, TO JOIN THE advertiser, with a few hundred or a thousand dollars, in a first-class paying business; fullest investigation solicited and references given; no previous experience necessary. Address MERCHANT, P. O. Box 1194, Los Angeles, Cal.

PARTNERSHIP WANTED—A GENtleman of experience, with $1000 to $1500 at command, wishes to join in partnership with a paying concern, where his time and money can be utilized. Address BONA FIDE, care room 3, No. 28 N. Spring st., Los Angeles, Cal.

For Exchange.

FOR EXCHANGE—HOUSES AND lots, large and small, various prices, in Eastern and Middle States; for sale, or will exchange for property in Los Angeles or vicinity. W. H. BONSALL, Bryson block, cor. Spring and First sts., Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—$125,000—FIRST-class, productive property in cities and State of Iowa for first-class real estate in Southern California. Call on the Southern California Investment Company, 114 First st., Nadeau block, Los Angeles.

FOR EXCHANGE—160 ACRES FIRST-class farming land in Butler county, Kan., near railroad and good market; also, 160 acres in Tulare county, Cal., for property in Los Angeles county; will pay cash difference. Address P. O. Box 148.

FOR EXCHANGE—GILT-EDGE PROPerty in Des Moines City, Iowa, for desirable California property. Box 496, Pasadena.

Wants.

Wanted—Help.

WANTED—COOKS, WAITRESSES, ladies' and children's nurses, house servants, at SARA HAYS'S Employment Office, Pasadena. Employers pay fare and half fee.

WANTED—AT BELLEVUE TERrace, a first-class steward; must be temperate.

Wanted—Situations.

WANTED—A POSITION AS HOUSEkeeper in hotel or take charge of lodging-house; best reference. Address MRS. L. C., Times office.

WANTED—BY A THOROUGH COOK, situation in city or country hotel or boarding-house; best references. A. H. D., Times office.

WANTED—A YOUNG LADY, WHO speaks German, desires situation as clerk in a store. Address M. A. H. Times office.

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A MAN TO BUY PAPER route; good profits. 101 Banning st.

WANTED—ABOUT MARCH 1ST, BY the year, a house of 5, 6 or 7 rooms and bath, with good yard, convenient to Temple and Spring sts.; rent must be reasonable; no tenderfoot prices paid. Address with full particulars, stating rent, PERMANENT, P. O. Box 371.

WANTED—I DESIRE TO LEASE A store suitable for a first-class hat, cap and gents' furnishing goods business; must be located on Spring st., between Temple and Second sts., or on Main st., between Commercial and First sts., or on First., between Spring and Main sts.; will buy shelving, counters and showcases at value if same are suitable; answer immediately. O., 919 S. Olive st., city.

WANTED—$1000, $3000 AND $4500, AT once, on separate improved property; state rate of interest required. BORROWER, P. O. Box 1194, Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—BY A GENTLEMAN, TWO well-furnished, sunny rooms; send particulars. P. O. Box 13.

To Let.

To Let—Rooms.

TO LET—ON THE HILLS, 2 SUPErior sunny rooms, furnished; splendid view; private family. Call at Times office for particulars.

TO LET—ROOMS AT LONG BEACH, the seaside resort; two rooms, furnished, $8. Inquire of CURTIS, engineer Long Beach dummy.

220 S. FORT ST.—THE ST. HELENA House, between Third and Fourth; sunny rooms, neatly furnished; first-class location.

TO LET—PLEASANT, SUNNY, FURnished rooms, for light housekeeping, corner Washington and Cherry sts.

TO LET—NEWLY-FURNISHED PARlor and bedrooms, at 705 S. Hill st.

To Let—Houses.

TO LET—FURNISHED HOUSE OF 8 rooms, with stable. Keys at 524 S. Pearl st.

TO LET—HOUSE AND CHOICE 25 acres. J. W. PACKER, 22 S. Spring st.

To Let—Miscellaneous.

TO LET—LARGE SALE-YARD, CORrals and stable, in the heart of the city. Inquire of JOHN C. BELL, room 17, Temple block.

TO LET—CHARTER OAK HOTEL; centrally located, in Pasadena; furnished in first-class style; 21 rooms, well-lighted. C. EHRENFELD, 88 Fair Oaks ave., Pasadena.

TO LET—OR LEASE, FOR GRAIN, 160 acres of land, 6 miles southwest from Courthouse. Apply to RICHARD DILLON, northwest cor. Hill and Seventh sts.

TO LET—PART OF COMMODIOUS store, No. 111 E. First st.; excellently adapted for real-estate or other business. Apply on premises.

Rooms and Board.

A FEW MORE SUNNY ROOMS, WITH board, at Hermosa Vista, South Pasadena. Tourists leave L. A. & S. G. V. R. R. at Raymond and take street cars west.

SUNNY, FURNISHED ROOMS AND board. 123 Courthouse st., cor Olive.

Excursions.

PHILLIPS' POPULAR PLEASURE parties going East leave here Feb. 10 and 24, and March 10 and 31. Call on or address A. PHILLIPS & CO., 134 N. Main st., Los Angeles.

WARNER BROS. & CROSBY EXCURsions east and west. 302 N. Main st.

Safe Deposit Bank.

FOR RENT—AT FROM $3 TO $20 PER year, safe deposit boxes in absolutely fire and burglar proof chrome-steel vault; inspection invited. THE CHILDRESS SAFE DEPOSIT BANK, 37 South Spring st.

Unclassified.

R. R. TICKETS BOUGHT, SOLD AND exchanged. Cut rates to all points. Member Guarantee Ticket Brokers' Association. L. H. WHITSON, 30 S Spring st.

CUT-RATE TICKET OFFICE. RAILroad tickets bought, sold and exchanged. R. J. PRYKE & CO., 212 Main st., under St. Charles Hotel.

A. O. U. W.

Memorial service to be held at Grand Opera House, Sunday, February 20th, at 2:30 p.m., in honor of our late father, J. J. Upchurch, the founder of the Ancient Order of United Workmen. Brother Workmen, Select Knights and the public are cordially invited to attend. Seats free. Per order Robert Sharp, District Deputy Grand Master.

Marble, Sandstone and Black Granite.

The Tehachipe Building Stone Company are now prepared to fill orders of any dimensions at short notice, to stone-cutters, contractors and builders, for their fine-grade gray marble, brown, yellow, green and white standstone and black granite from their quarries at Tehachipe. Samples at office, 12 Court street. Postoffice Box 1338. ROBERT A. LEWIS, Secretary.

Fresno County's Exhibit.

Visitors, health-seekers and home-seekers are invited to visit the rooms of the Fresno County Board of Trade, at No. 312 North Main street, to see the display of Fresno county products, and to learn of the inducements offered to those seeking homes. Especially are those invited who want a good California home, in a good climate, in a productive, healthy country, cheap.

Dry Lumber.

For some time there has been a scarcity of dry lumber in this city, but the Schallert-Ganahl Lumber Company, by a special effort, have succeeded in securing a lot of thoroughly seasoned rustic and finishing lumber, which they offer to the trade at their yards, Alameda and First streets.

Sarsfield's Remedies.

Sarsfield's Remedy for the Blood and Sarsfield's Chronic Ulcer Salve have been placed on sale with the principal druggists of the city. They are sovereign remedies and are rapidly making their way to popular favor with the people of Los Angeles.

Scott's new Hotel Arcadia—the most attractive hotel in Southern California; only 100 feet from the ocean; 120 rooms. Take a look at it before engaging rooms elsewhere for the winter.

Notary Public and Commissioner

For New York State and Arizona Territory. G. A. Dobinson, 42 North Spring street.

Hotel Arcadia has elevator, steam-heat in halls, gas, electric bells—all modern improvements.

Drink Jackson's Napa Soda for the kidneys.

THE STORM.

The Situation of Yesterday Fully Set Forth.

The Condition of the Railroads—When They will Run.

An Exact Statement of all the Principal Damages.

Two Vessels Shipwrecked at San Pedro; the Crews Saved—Condition of all the Bridges—The Danger Believed to be Over—Various Notes.

By Telegraph to The Times.

The accurate and comprehensive reports printed in the local columns of yesterday's TIMES brought every detail of information concerning the storm down to 4 a.m. yesterday. At that hour the moon was out feebly, and the clouds were pretty well broken throughout the sky. The worst of the storm and its results then seemed to be over, though there were apprehensions that the rainfall in the mountains might swell the river and play havoc at a later morning hour. Fortunately, these fears were unfounded, though at 4:30 the hoarse roar of the river, audible over the whole city, threatened further danger.

The river continued to fall steadily during the morning, and the rain which fell during the day yesterday was not in itself sufficient to excite apprehension, save that it indicated an indisposition on the part of the storm to "let up."

At noon a TIMES reporter began a personal round of inspection of the whole district affected by the flood, first visiting the northern river front. The northernmost point of damage in the city was at the

UPPER S. P. R. R. BRIDGE,

half a mile above Downey avenue. One bent of this was carried out, probably by the sudden impact of some heavy piece of drift. The fine work done by the Southern Pacific on the track along the foot of the high bluffs from the aforesaid bridge to the yard limits saved it from a repetition of last year's bad break there. A large amount of the heavy stone wall built there to protect the track, however, was undermined, and sank into the river.

THE L. A. & S. G. V. BRIDGE

was the next to suffer, coming south. The bridge itself, which was very substantially built, stands like the rock of ages; but between 60 and 100 feet of the western approaches are washed away. About 100 feet of the eastern approaches to the first trestle across the Arroyo Seco were also washed out. These two unimportant gullies constitute practically the only damage to the working portion of the road.

THE DOWNEY-AVENUE BRIDGE

had suffered seriously. The break at the east end, already reported by THE TIMES, was the worst. By measurement, the gap in the carriage-way is twenty-one yards in width. There is nothing left of the bridge on that side and for that distance. It is simply a howling chasm. The spiles are gone from beneath the whole structure here; and the horse-car track and footpath, which still span the torrent beside this gap, sag down over three feet below their proper level, and quiver perceptibly at the passage of a single light traveler. A great deal of crossing was done yesterday, however, over this flimsy pathway.

At the west end of the bridge the morning had brought a somewhat similar slump, 20 yards of the car-track having sagged three and one-half feet in the center. This was caused by the loss of one spile from underneath. The rest of the bridge at this point is not affected. At 2 p.m. the river at the Downey-avenue bridge was running in two widely divergent streams. The western one was less than 50 feet across and played close against the stout plank bulkhead of the Los Angeles and San Gabriel Valley Railroad. The eastern stream was 100 feet wide, much stronger, and hugged the shore with equal pertinacity. It had eaten out some hundred cubic yards of earth from the abutment at the southeast corner of the bridge.

THE L. A. & S. G. V. R. R. LEVEE.

The next point of damage worth noting as one proceeds south, was in the vicinity of Niedt's soap works. The plank bulkhead built by the Los Angeles and San Gabriel Valley Railroad was not down deep enough at this point. The hungry waters burrowed under it and ate away 1000 feet of the earth embankment inside, upon which stood the track. Not a plank of the bulkhead was carried away, and it stands there solid as a rock, while the track inside is left tilted up on edge. The total damage to the Los Angeles and San Gabriel Valley Railroad will probably amount to $3000.

THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC BRIDGE.

The long railroad bridge over which trains from the east enter the city lost three bents by the high water. This made it unsafe to cross, and transfers were made from the other side of the river of passengers arriving from the East.

THE COVERED BRIDGE.

A visit was next made to this honest old structure, which spans the river at its narrowest point (at Macy street)—the only bridge of any sort, railroad or carriage, in the city limits which never goes back on its patrons. A rumor was prevalent that it had sagged badly and was dangerous. The TIMES man crossed it twice and found it straight as the geometric shortest line between two points. Such an idea as sagging had never entered its faithful old head. It was much used yesterday by all sorts of vehicles, as it afforded the only way of getting to the east side with horses.

THE ALISO-STREET BRIDGE.

The pretentious iron structure which spans the river at Aliso street will take longer to put back into shape than any of its fellows. Very nearly 200 feet of the high approaches at the west end is gone, and a strong current rolls through the gap. The street-car bridge, which runs beside the carriage bridge on its north side, is an even worse sufferer. The length covered by the earth approaches of the main structure was covered by straight bridge in the minor; and the one has lost within 50 feet of as much bridge as the former has lost of approach. A hundred feet of the car-track, still attached to the western stump of the car bridge, trails disconsolately down the river.

THE FIRST STREET BRIDGE

"got it" at both ends. The approach at the west end is short, and has not suffered severely. The gap between the solid ground and the edge of the bridge is but twenty-two feet, and there is no stream running through. The street-car track (built for the Workman electric road, but now leased and soon to be operated by the two-horse line) spans this gap, and is solid enough to walk across. Thus gaining the bridge, the reporter traveled to the eastern end of the bridge proper, between which and the present bank there is a gap of considerably over 100 feet, through which a strong stream was then running. Of course, the car-track across this stretch had succumbed and most of it had disappeared. Men were at work on the eastern bank cutting down willows and mooring them along the bank to baffle the gnawing of the current, which was eating away the soft soil very fast. The old deserted soap factory which lies just south of the road in the hollow—the first building east of the bridge—was badly handled by the morning's high waters, and a considerable portion lying next the river was carried away. The loss was not large enough to be worth counting, however.

THE SANTA FE DEPOT GROUNDS.

It will be remembered that some months ago the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé bought the Bigelow and other places—in all over 60 acres—on the west bank of the river, beginning at First street and running south. This land is to be used for yards and depot grounds for all the numerous Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé branch lines and the main terminal line which are to center here. Yesterday's high water, as usual, made very free with this land, and the strong current devoured considerable of the banks. Maj. George H. Bonebrake, who occupies a seat in the directory of several of these lines, and who is apparently acting under instructions from headquarters, learned of the damage in progress, and determined to stop it. He set about doing so in a novel way, which will probably seem rather rich for the blood of tenderfoot visitors. There is a fine orange orchard on the grounds; and to stop the destruction of valuable land by the stream, he set men to work cutting down these orange trees and anchoring them along the bank.

RESERVOIR NO. 4.

President James McLoughlin, of the Second-street Cable Road, appeared in Council yesterday, and stated there was great fear that Reservoir No. 4 would break and cause great loss of life; and asked that the reservoir be kept not more than half full in winter months.

The Zanjero is running the water off from Reservoir No. 4, as fast as he deems prudent, so that any solicitude as to a break is useless, unless very heavy rains fall. Early this morning he reported that he had lowered the reservoir a foot.

THE RAILROADS.

Exact Statement of the Situation of Travel.

As forecast by yesterday's TIMES, the railroad situation was seriously affected by the storm. The estimate then given of the probable points and extent of damage was remarkably close for an estimate. No train whatever left or entered the city yesterday, and it is not so absolutely sure as could be wished that any will do so today, though the railroad people expect to bring about that desirable state of things. This hope is largely based on the cognate hope that it will rain no more. Should there be any serious further downfall, travel may be interrupted as badly as it was last year. With weather clear or fair, however, a resumption of somewhat straggling travel may be looked for at some time today.

THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

The Southern Pacific's first washout out of town is a mile and a quarter above the upper bridge, and is not a serious affair. From that on up to San Fernando there are several washouts of various sizes, this section of the track seeming to have caught the worst of the storm. The Tejunga bridge lost two bents.

Above San Fernando the damage was comparatively trifling, and the railroad authorities expected to have the track as far south as that point in running order by 5 p.m. yesterday. The notorious Soledad cañon has "gone back on its record," and shows up without a single serious washout. The only damage there is a small wash from a side cañon. There is a construction gang working from this city toward San Fernando, and another working from San Fernando toward this city. The passengers from the North due here at 7:20 and 11:40 yesterday had left Sumner at 1 p.m. yesterday, and will probably be able to enter this city today. The train which got in from the East night before last and has been lying here ever since will probably get away for the North today. The pile-driver was expected to finish the break in the lower bridge by this morning, so that trains can be sent out East. The Southern Pacific branches to San Pedro, Santa Ana and Santa Monica are running all right.

Two trains from the East arrived yesterday at the east end of the lower bridge, where they were obliged to stop. One was the second section of the huge Texas and Pacific Pullman excursion—the first having arrived Monday afternoon, as already noted. The second section, in charge of E. B. McCord, San Francisco passenger agent of the Southern Pacific, reached the bridge at 10 a.m. with 320 passengers. It was a long job to transfer them all, but it was finally accomplished, some sick persons being carried across the weakened bridge in stout arms. There is no list of this party. The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé excursion, in twenty Pullmans, was at latest advices somewhere between here and Colton, ready to come in as soon as it can be accommodated. A Warner Bros. & Crosby excursion—of which an alphabetic list is printed elsewhere—is in similar plight. There is also a Raymond & Whitcomb excursion from the East via Mexico, which was due yesterday and may be expected in today. Up to latest reports yesterday afternoon the Southern Pacific was all right east of this city, but it was raining heavily on the Colorado desert, and trouble is anticipated there.

THE CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN.

Nothing definite could be learned of the condition of this road yesterday, the company's wire between this city and Colton being down. It is pretty definitely understood, however, that the Temecula cañon is badly gutted, and that it may be some days before San Diego trains will have plain sailing. In the Cajon pass it is understood that there is a not serious slide, which is being rapidly cleared away. There is also a bad break between Colton and Riverside.

THE LOS ANGELES AND SAN GABRIEL VALLEY RAILROAD.

The full amount of damage done this road is detailed above. It is hoped to get passengers moving by this afternoon, though this is by no means certain. No freight will be taken for two or three days. The Southern Pacific main line and the California Southern are not taking freight, either.

CITY COMMUNICATION.

The street cars, except the Boyle Heights line, were all running throughout the day, to the vast convenience of the public. Neither of the cable roads is running yet, and probably neither will be before tomorrow, though the Temple-street road could have been repaired by today had there been no rain yesterday. The employés on both lines are working like beavers. The Pico-street Electric Road, which ran all day Monday, succumbed yesterday, the track being buried in sand and water. It will run again in a day or two, weather permitting.

THE WEATHER.

Its Behavior Yesterday and Promise for Today.

Yesterday dawned showery, and maintained this sullen aspect unchanged till the middle of the afternoon, with occasional easy showers. At 3 o'clock p.m. the clouds rose and grew somewhat threadbare, and at 4 o'clock a sickly sun came out. This lasted only about long enough to make a charming rainbow. At times during the evening there were patches of starlit sky, but these were soon swallowed up in the heavy, damp-dropping clouds. At 9:07 p.m. there was a very savage burst of rain and fine hail, lasting less than ten minutes. This gave way to a flecked sky. At 10:45 there was a light shower, lasting fifteen minutes. This versatility of sky was kept up most of the night. At 1:50 this morning there was another heavy ten-minute shower.

THE RAINFALL.

The precipitation between 7:07 and 9 p.m., Monday—the period of the severest rain—was one and one-half inches, according to the accurate measurement of the United States Signal Office here. There was a wind of twenty-five to thirty miles an hour. For the twenty-four hours ending at 7:07 last night it was 2.78 inches by the same authority. This makes the official total for the storm, up to 7:07 last night, 9:02 inches.

O. H. Bliss gives the rainfall from the morning of the 12th to the morning of the 15th as 5.18 inches, and the total for the storm as 11.29—which is more than two inches and a quarter ahead of Uncle Sam's figuring.

C. Ducommun makes the total for the storm, up to 7 a.m. yesterday, 12.53 inches.

The barometer last night showed a rising tendency, but the indications telegraphed from San Francisco call for "light rains in Southern California" today.

At a late hour this morning the river was still falling, and there was no apprehension of immediate further danger.

The weather was cool here yesterday, and there was much snow in the North. Telegraphic advices report two feet of snow at Tehachepi, and more or less all the way from Caliente to Lancaster, where three inches fell. There was snow throughout the Antelope Valley. At 2 p.m. it was snowing in the Soledad cañon.

TWO SHIPWRECKS.

The Storm Gets in Its Work at San Pedro.

The heavy winds of Monday were most disastrous at San Pedro, where a very heavy sea was running all day. The vessels in the offing had a rough time of it. Before night two of them wisely weighed anchor and put to sea, to get under the lea of Catalina Island.

At about 10 o'clock Monday night signals of distress were seen by the citizens, coming from a point east of Dead Man's Island and about two miles southeast of San Pedro. It was impossible to put out a boat in such a night, however, and all that the anxious watchers could do was to wait till dawn. Daylight showed that the American ship Kennebec—2000 tons burden, Capt. A. Ford, from Liverpool with coal for the Southern Pacific Railroad Company—had dragged her anchor and drifted ashore, striking a rock and sinking in 35 feet of water 200 or 300 yards east of Dead Man's Island. Her officers and crew were clinging to the rigging and forecastle, which were above water. Their condition in that angry sea, however, was most precarious. Mate Boren, of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company's way-steamer Los Angeles, sent off a boat with six men, and this was reënforced by two boats from San Pedro. The wrecked officers and crew were soon rescued. It was also discovered that the barkentine St. Louis, Capt. Jakes, from Coos Bay, with lumber, had gone ashore during the night on a reef near Point Fermin. The officers and crew got ashore all right. The vessel broke up on the rocks by noon.

STORM NOTES.

Minor and Disjointed Points of Interest.

This was small potatoes of a flood—if it is done now.

The Newhall extension, near Camulus, is in bad shape. It is very rough country.

The indications at 3:30 this morning are encouraging. The storm seems "tired."

It is fortunate that none of the Trybune reporters were drowned in their alleged bursting of Reservoir No. 4.

Schweng's grocery, corner Temple street and Beaudry avenue, and a nice residence opposite, were badly damaged by being undermined by the rain.

During the storm on Monday evening last the lightning struck a barn belonging to Rev. Winans, living half a mile south of the race-track, on old Main street.

The admirable account of the storm which appeared in yesterday's TIMES was appreciated by a discriminating public, and a heavy extra edition was speedily gobbled up clean.

One of the first flashes of lightning Monday evening ran over the wires of the electric light works, making the premises dazzlingly bright and scaring the employés out of a year's growth. No damage was done.

First street did not look much yesterday as it did the day after the flood of '86. Then it was choked with vagrant houses, outhouses, lumber, trees and all conceivable rubbish. Now the only drift there is enough poor hay to make a scant armful.

LAND SUITS.

"Lucky" Baldwin and Richard Garvey After John Temple.

Suit was brought yesterday by E. J. Baldwin against John H. Temple. Plaintiff alleges that he is entitled to the possession, and January 1, 1884, and long prior thereto was in possession of the tract bounded on the north by the boundary line between the Rancho la Merced and the Rancho Potrero de Felipe Lugo; on the west by the road leading from the old Mission San Gabriel to the Temple schoolhouse; on the east by the San Gabriel River, and on the south by the land occupied by E. L. Beswick; in all, about 10 acres, located in the northwest corner of the Rancho la Merced. That while plaintiff was in possession of said land, defendant on January 1, 1884, without right or title, entered into possession, ejected plaintiff, and has ever since been in possession, to plaintiff's damage in $500. That the value of the rents, issues and profits from January 1, 1884, is $2000. Wherefore plaintiff prays for $2500, as above.

E. J. Baldwin and Richard Garvey also filed papers in a similar suit against Temple for the recovery of thirty-four acres in the Rancho Potrero de Felipe Lugo, praying for $1000 damages and $4000 rents and profits.

COUNCIL.

AN ADJOURNED SESSION OF THE CITY SOLONS.

The City Assessor Wants Help—Charity Street Renamed—City Water Company Pleading for Consideration—Miscellaneous Business.

Council met in adjourned session at 2 o'clock yesterday, with ten members present. Minutes of Monday's session read and approved.

Mr. Goss stated that Mr. Cohn would consent to act on the committee to the Legislature, and moved that the committee be instructed, in case they fail to get the charter through, to get what other relief they can. Carried.

OFFICERS' REPORTS.

From W. R. Stephenson, City Assessor, saying he finds a revolution of city real estate necessary. Nearly 100 tracts of land have been subdivided in various parts of the city and must be assessed by the lot; that he cannot make a good assessment without assistance. He then presents the name of Joseph Davidson, Frank Baker, Sam Prager, Ed Conroy, P. L. Ducasse, M. L. Plowner, M. L. Parcells, James Watson, Sam Wells, R. H. Sepulveda, at an aggregate monthly salary of $825, and asked provision for their appointment and salaries. Referred to the Finance Committee.

The Mayor asked for leave of absence and for Mr. Breed to act in his place. Granted.

Judge Austin will attend to city court business.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The matter in relation to the Charity-street Railroad, as to whether or not it had begun work, was referred to the Board of Public Works.

An ordinance was presented providing for the sale of a certain lot in block H of the Fort Hill tract, the consideration being the grading of the street. Rules suspended, and the ordinance was adopted.

An ordinance requiring persons laying down sidewalk gutters or curbing to do so in conformity to the grade furnished by the City Surveyor, and any one violating this ordinance shall be guilty of misdemeanor, and fined not more than $50 or fifty days, or both. Rules were suspended and the ordinance adopted.

An ordinance establishing water rates and fixing compensation for water to be furnished by any corporation, company or person, for all uses during the year 1887, same as for 1886. Adopted under suspension of the rules.

An ordinance changing the name of Charity street to Grand avenue. Adopted under suspension of the rules.

An ordinance regulating the use of streets and sidewalks of the city; requiring merchants to keep sidewalks open six feet in front of stores, and allowing packages too large to take in to remain on the sidewalk not to exceed four hours, but not to remain out over night.

Mr. Frankenfield moved to substitute four feet of the gutter, instead of the side-walk. Referred back to City Attorney for revision.

Mr. Lovell stated that the Water Company had paid no attention to the water-rate ordinance in a specific case, and moved that the Council take proper steps to enforce the water-rate ordinance.

Specifications for furnishing material, labor and necessary implements for the construction of 6200 feet of 22-inch sheet-iron pipe for conveying the Woolen Mill Ditch water from the property of G. B. King to the Woolen Mill, and bond of William Lacy, Jr., was received and approved.

Union Iron Works contract for furnishing the iron work for fifteen or more catch-basins, in accordance with plans and specifications, at $15 each, with bond attached, was received, read and, the Chinese clause being inserted, contract and bond were approved.

Agreement of J. E. Frick, to lay 800 feet of 30-inch cement pipe, as per specifications, on Flower, Pacheco and Pine streets, at $1.58½ per lineal foot. Approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

In relation to the San Gabriel Valley Railroad Company, the Board of Public Works reported that they had notified the company to change grade of their railroad track to conform to that established by the city. Approved.

A communication from the City Water Works Company, reciting the present cost, value and efficiency of the system, the receipts and disbursements, the failure to declare any dividend, and praying for the adoption of certain rates and conditions governing the distribution of water, and lenient treatment on the part of Council, was referred to the Finance Committee.

A large grist of bills were read and referred to the Finance Committee.

The Fire Commissioners recommended that the bid of Richard Maloney to build two new hose-carts, for the sum of $800, be accepted, the work to be done under supervision of Fire Commissioners and Chief of Fire Department; and requested that the City Attorney be requested to draft contract for same. Adopted. Also reported the expense account of the department for the month of January to be $1835.82. Filed.

The list of assessments per foot for widening San Pedro street was adopted.

A resolution recommending the building of Main-street extension sewer was read and adopted; also a resolution recommending a branch sewer to be laid on Main street to Alameda from Marchessault was adopted.

The Superintendent of Sewers recommended that process be begun to compel persons delinquent on sewer assments to pay up. Adopted.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Recommend G. E. Long as Commissioner for the city on the Courthouse street appraisment, and that the Commissioners be instructed to include all property affected by a change of grade on Courthouse street; also

That the name of Charity street be changed to Grand avenue;

That City Attorney draft a contract with N. C. Mayo for building catch-basins, and that the deed of Byram & Cunningham for a portion of Flower street be accepted and the Clerk ordered to file the same.

Recommend that the grade of Seventh and Beacon street be established; also that of First and Spring.

Recommend that the Superintendent of Streets put in 30-inch cement pipe culverts on Stevenson avenue.

All the above were adopted.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Reported having examined the reports of all the various city officers submitted to them, and found them correct, but that the Tax Collector's account showed the city indebted to him for $139.90, and that a warrant for this amount be drawn. Adopted.

Denying the petition of H. B. Benedict for rebate of taxes. Adopted.

That the petition of Richard Beaudry, with certain changes, be granted. Adopted.

That the pay-roll of Sewer Superintendent and a number of other bills be paid. Adopted.

Mr. Jones, of the Zanja Committee, reported verbally that a certain portion of the southern part of the city asked to be restored to the old plan of getting their water direct from the Zanjero, by each individual, and that the request had been granted.

The Zanjero reported concerning the reservoirs, that they were very full, but water was being let out as fast as possible.

Mr. Teed moved that the Zanjero be instructed to keep the reservoirs but one-third full during the winter months. By request, the Surveyor said the reservoirs should be provided with waste weirs, to provide against a strain upon the walls in case of sudden trial. Mr. Jones moved that this motion be in force till waste weirs are provided. Referred to the Surveyor, Zanjero and Zanja Committee.

Mr. Willard was fined $5 at this point, for being late.

PETITIONS.

H. B. Ransom asked the privilege of using pleasure-boats on Reservoir No. 4. Referred to Zanja Committee.

From R. L. Chowder and others, asking for two crossings on Olive street, at Seventh street. To Board of Public Works, with power to act.

From J. A. Henderson, asking permission to construct and maintain a railroad spur-switch on Alameda street, east side, opposite Marchessault, where the Chinese Theater now stands. Referred.

A supplementary petition signed by S. Stoll, O. H. Keifer, Richard Heimann and a number of others, praying for the retention of J. P. Smith as City Sexton. Referred to Board of Health.

From John L. Fonck, asking back pay as policeman, but withdrawing prayer for his reinstatement on the force. Petition rejected and returned.

From Richard Garvey, asking for a rebate on taxes overpaid. Referred to the Finance Committee.

From R. A. Ling and others, asking for the erection of an electric-light mast at the intersection of Mission road and Warren street. Referred to Gas Committee.

From G. A. Bernard, asking that Council have all the prostitutes on New High street removed, so that he can rent his houses to respectable people, or else let them alone, and he can rent them all to the prostitutes, and so yield him some income. Referred to Chief of Police.

John W. Ellis prays for permission to connect with the sewer on Diamond street from the Ellis College; also with sewer on Western avenue from the Belmont Hotel. Sewer Committee.

From George Cummings, praying a reconsideration of a resolution to change grade on First street, corner of Boyle avenue, in front of petitioner's lot, which lessens the value of his property. To Board of Public Works and Surveyor.

From Ferguson & Co, asking permission to open a sewer in front of their property on Main street, opposite Arcadia. Referred to Sewer Committee.

From Henry Martz, asking Council to pipe the zanja between Olive street and Grand avenue, from the east line of Eleventh street, south across Eleventh street and 180 feet across the lots owned by the petitioner, who will pay one-half the cost of the 180 feet, and agrees to lay a 16-inch pipe at 62 cents per foot, in trench of the present zanja. Zanja Committee.

Mr. Hiller moved to reconsider the report increasing the pay of the Superintendent of Sewers from $3 to $3.50. Carried. Report adopted.

In regard to the official line of river bed from Mission to First street, as shown by the map of City Surveyor, Mr. Collins moved to have the Surveyor draft an ordinance changing the river bed to conform with the map. Carried.

On motion, the Board of Public Works and Bridge Committee were instructed to repair damages to bridges and approaches at once.

Adjourned.

THE SUPERVISORS.

Franchises Granted—Other Important Business.

The Board of Supervisors met Tuesday, February 15th, pursuant to adjournment.

The clerk was authorized to procure blanks for justices of the peace and constables.

J. de Barth Shorb was appointed road overseer of the San Gabriel road district.

William Wildman was appointed road overseer of the San José road district.

The bond of J. J. Mahoney, for faithful performance of contract for new hospital building, was approved, and chairman authorized to sign the contract.

On the petition of F. P. Firey and others, a franchise was granted for a single-track street railway in Pomona, to run over the following route: Commencing at the intersection of Rebecca and Second streets; thence east along Second to Garey avenue; thence north on Garey avenue to the Mud Spring county road; thence along the public highway along the east of Mrs. Maria Clark's lands to the old San Bernardino stage road; thence east along said road to a point north of a public highway which leads southerly toward Pomona; thence in a southerly direction, following the center line of said last-mentioned public highway to a point thirty-five feet west of the northeast corner of land belonging to Charles French. The construction of said road must be begun in two months, and must be in running order in six months, and a failure to so begin and complete said road will entail a forfeiture of this franchise. It is also provided that R. F. House and Stoddard Jess shall have the right to run their cars over a portion of the road, on payment of 6 per cent. of the cost of first construction and half the cost of repairs.

Street railway franchises in Pomona were also granted to R. F. House and Stoddard Jess and C. E. White and J. E. Packard, under conditions similar to those above; the route of the roads to be as follows: That of House and Jess will commence at the intersection of Second and Ellen streets; thence northerly along Ellen street to the San Bernardino road; thence northeast to Garey avenue; thence north to the Mud Springs road.

That of White and Packard will commence at the intersection of Second and Elizabeth streets; thence north along Elizabeth street to intersection of Holt avenue; thence east on Holt avenue to intersection of San Antonio avenue; thence north along San Antonio avenue to the road running along the north line of the Rancho San José, near Indian Hill.

Action on all other petitions was deferred to the meeting in March.

Adjourned to March 7th, at 10 a.m.

HEADQUARTERS.

Latest Army Orders Issued by Gen. Miles.

The following has been issued by Gen. Miles:

HEADQUARTERS
DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA,
LOS ANGELES (Cal.), Feb. 11, 1887.

Special Orders No. 17.

1. Upon recommendation of the chief quartermaster of the department, Second Lieut. J. A. Perry, Tenth Infantry, will proceed to Los Angeles, Cal., and report to the chief quartermaster in connection with his recent duties as post quartermaster at Fort Bliss, Tex. Upon completion of this duty, Lieut. Perry will return to his proper station. The quartermaster's department will furnish the necessary transportation.

2. A general court-martial is appointed to meet at Fort Lowell, Ariz., at 10 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 17th day of February, 1887, or as soon thereafter as practicable, for the trial of such prisoners as may be properly brought before it.

DETAIL FOR THE COURT.

Maj. H. E. Noyes, Fourth Cavalry.
Capt. Allen Smith, Fourth Cavalry.
Capt. S. A. Mason, Fourth Cavalry.
First Lieut. W. B. Banister, assistant surgeon.
Second Lieut. Samuel Reber, Fourth Cavalry.
Second Lieut. F. W. Harris, Fourth Cavalry.
First Lieut. Fred Wheeler, Fourth Cavalry, judge-advocate.

A greater number of officers than those named cannot be assembled without manifest injury to the service.

By command of Brig.-Gen. Miles.
M. BARBER,
Assistant Adjutant-General.

C. C. C.

The Co-operative Colony Still Seeking a Location.

The board of directors of the California Coöoperative Colony held another meeting Monday, and received a report from the special committee on location. The committee, consisting of C. N. Earl, F. A. Atwater and Ralph E. Hoyt, had just returned from a short trip in search of a suitable location, and they will visit another tract today. Additional offers for colony sites are solicited. Subscriptions for stock are coming in rapidly, and the prospects for the movement are excellent.

On Saturday evening next an adjourned meeting of the stockholders and others will be held in Good Templars' Hall, when further action will be taken on the bylaws and the whole plan discussed. Everybody is invited.

Dots.

J. W. DAVIS, prescription druggist.

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Eastern Prices Have Come to Stay

At McDonell's Drug Store, 271 N. Main st. The enormous profits once realized by the drug trade are a thing of the past. We sell our goods at genuine Eastern prices. For instance, we will sell you one pound best gum camphor for 25c, regular price 60c; Colgate's Cashmere Boquet soap, 25c per cake, regular price 35c; Hoyt's German Cologne, 15c, regular price 25c; Warner's Kidney and Liver Cure, $1 per bottle, regular price $1.25, and all other goods at Eastern prices. Prescriptions compounded at the new schedule of prices. Remember, McDONELL, the Druggist, Rose block.

Goods at factory prices at Eagleson's. 50 North Spring street.

Jackson's Napa Soda is a fine appetizer.

WOMAN'S EXCHANGE,
OF THE
FLOWER FESTIVAL SOCIETY,

Will open its rooms in the new Home, on FOURTH ST., near Main, on the 1st of March. The Exchange will receive and put on sale everything that a woman can make well, for which there is a market. All women desiring to avail themselves of the superior advantages offered by this Exchange, or any persons interested in the cause, are invited to send for the Announcement and Rules for Depositors to he business manager,

MRS. C. B. WHEELER,
Woman's Home, on Fourth st., near Main.

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My treatment of the diseases of the respiratory passages consists in the employment of Medical Inhalation, for its direct effects on the diseased organs; and, at the same time, adopting such hygienic measures, and administering such medicines by the stomach as will most effectually purify the blood, give tone to the nervous system, and build up and strengthen the general constitution. In other words, I employ combined local and general treatment.

What is Medical Inhalation Before stating briefly what Medical Inhalation is, I propose, in as few words as possible, to state clearly what it is not.

Medical Inhalation is not a cure-all, a nostrum, or a panacea. It is not a Specific Remedy for any disease. It is not a quack medicine, advertised to cure any or all the ills that flesh is heir to, and intended to fill the pockets of its proprietors. It is not a talisman, whose possession insures health to its possessor without the intervention of either sense or judgment. Medical Inhalation is none of these things.

Medical Inhalation is simply and solely a method of taking medicines by inhaling or breathing them into the lungs, instead of swallowing them into the stomach. By inhalation, the proper medicines are applied directly to the seat of the disease, in the nose, throat or lungs; and it is clear to every reasoning person how peculiarly applicable Inhalation is in the disorders of the organs named. If you have scalded or burned the surface of the body, or wounded any limb or member, you do not swallow the remedy intended to heal the disorganized tissue. On the contrary, you apply it directly to the seat of the wound or injury. Why, then, when suffering from catarrh of the nasal passages or throat, or afflicted with ulceration of the lungs, should you rely on medicines taken into the stomach?

Medical Inhalation not only applies the proper healing remedies to the seat of the disease, but it applies the remedy in the gaseous or vaporous form, in which form, as is well known, medicines act most powerfully. How much greater, for example, is the effect of a drachm of chloroform, when inhaled or breathed, than many times the quantity when swallowed into the stomach. The same is true of chlorine, of iodine, and of many other substances. By inhalation the medicine is not poured into the stomach, and thence sent wandering through the system in search of a malady, which may be mainly or entirely a local one; but by this method the proper remedy is applied directly to the diseased organ. Who, after studying the anatomy of the lungs, can doubt that in inflammation and ulceration of the air-tubes and air-cells, the direct application of the healing medicine by inhalation to the diseased parts, is the correct and rational method of treatment? Who, on the other hand, can be so irrational as to believe that the proper and direct way to reach the diseased surfaces of the air-passages, in this case, is by the way of the stomach? Physiology teaches us that the membrane, or skin, lining the air-passages of the nose, throat and lungs, is only a slightly modified form of the same structure as that which covers the external surface of the body. Why, then, should local treatment be proper and necessary for inflammations, congestions and ulcerations of the one and not be equally so in the case of the other?

My experience and success in treating diseases of the nose, throat and lungs, demonstrates, beyond all question, that the true scientific treatment of these diseases is that treatment which combines the local effects of medical inhalation with the constitutional effects of systemic remedies, given in the usual way by the stomach. One or both methods must be adopted as the circumstances demand, and such remedies must be employed as the experience and judgment of the physician have proved to be proper in each particular case.

MEDICAL ADVOCATES OF INHALATION.

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MEXICO.

GOSSIP ABOUT MANNING, PORCH AND SEDGWICK.

Minister Manning's Non-confirmation—The True Inwardness of Some Things—Sentiment in the American Colony.

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 8, 1887.—[Correspondence of THE TIMES.] The American Colony in Mexico is in a foment of excitement over the reported non-confirmation of Thomas C. Manning and the arbitrary deposing of Consul-General Porch. It is the political mishap of the minor official that attracts the most attention, partly because his fate is positively determined and partly for the manifest and crying injustice of his treatment. He has clearly been pursued by the personal vindictiveness of Arthur G. Sedgwick, and considering the motives which actuated Mr. Porch it may be said, indeed, that Mr. Porch is turned out of doors for Sedgwick's misbehavior. The following impartial statements of facts will prove not uninteresting as comprising certain details not made known heretofore. When the recital of Sedgwick's debasing conduct on the night of August 27, 1886, made Americans in Mexico ashamed of their nationality being the theme of common street gossip among all classes. Mr. Porch called on the unfortunate man, who recurred to his disgrace, and implored the Consul not to refer to the matter. Mr. Porch assured Sedgwick that he had not come to reproach, but to rescue, if possible, and read a telegram addressed to the New York Herald, recommending, indeed, warning the managers of that journal, until the facts should be verified, to take no action upon a previous telegram sent by an American here, setting forth the facts in a most scandalous and even ribald form. Somewhat comforted, no doubt, by such manifestation of compassion, Sedgwick asked Mr. Porch to counsel him what course to pursue, and the Consul advised him to make a clean breast of the matter to the State Department at Washington, and the culprit assented to the proposition, which certainly was the manly way out of a vile business. Sedgwick then endeavored to get the tacit support of certain prominent Americans, but he found their indignation too fresh and too strong to acquiesce in his propositions. The Mexicans, on the other hand, feeling themselves threatened in their most vulnerable point—their reputation for hospitality—were disposed to shield him. Counting with their backing, Sedgwick determined to brazen the matter out with a wholesale denial. Learning this, Mr. Porch questioned Sedgwick as to whether he purposed to depart from the frank and honest course they had agreed upon, and "I do intend to deny the charges *in toto*," answered Sedgwick; "there is not a man who was with me at the time who will dare show his head as against me." Other Americans present at this interview took the matter up with so much heat that a disturbance appeared imminent, so full of asperity were the reproaches heaped upon Sedgwick. When thoroughly convinced that Sedgwick purposed to defy the censure of the American colony, Mr. Porch consented to take the measure which public sentiment demanded should proceed from an official source. Minister Jackson considered himself debarred from action in the matter, by a point of professional etiquette, and the unpleasant duty devolved upon Mr. Porch, as the next in official standing. Before transmitting the well-known dispatch, however, he read it to Envoy Sedgwick, of whom no advantage was taken in the whole transaction, he having been fully preadvised of every move contemplated. The approval of the colony was with Mr. Porch, throughout, and only by the jealous maneuvers of interested parties was the formal expression of this sentiment withheld. Sedgwick's disclaimers and Mr. Bayard's partisanship at the time were understood to menace Mr. Porch's tenure of office, though he then telegraphed Mr. Bayard, offering to state the causes which not only justified, but dictated, his course, and to prove by unimpeachable testimony his charges against Sedgwick. But no explanation was asked, Mr. Bayard's only reply being his ultimate demand, preferred through a third party, for the Consul-General's resignation. Mr. Porch's official relations with the Department of State have been cordial, and up to January 28th he had no official intimation that he was in disgrace. He is fully armed with authentic proofs in the case, which will show Mr. Sedgwick to have been guilty of conduct far more disgraceful than was chronicled at the time, the natural instincts of decency having modified the accounts. Sympathy is strong for Mr. Porch in Mexico, the case being clear that he is simply suffering as a scapegoat for Mr. Sedgwick, whose vindictiveness will pretty surely recoil upon himself now. The writer of these lines has been a consistent personal enemy of Mr. Porch, but is moved now to his defense by a love of fair play and the injustice of his treatment by his party, to which the writer also owes allegiance. His only offense here has been zeal for the honor and dignity of his country, and the slight fault of judgment shown in having put Mr. Sedgwick under a sense of obligation to him. Y. H. ADDIS.

BOMB-THROWER HODGES.

The Police Getting Statements from Witnesses of the Crime.

[San Francisco Alta.]

"Dr." James Hodges, the socialistic dynamiter who attempted to commit murder in the Grand Opera House last Wednesday night by throwing a bomb, and who is lying at the receiving hospital suffering from the effects of its premature explosion, was resting easily yesterday. It is now thought by his attendants that he will recover. His face and hands are frequently bathed with a cooling lotion, and the air is kept from the wounds by a covering of oil-skin.

The surly silence assumed by the bomb-thrower upon entering the hospital is still maintained by him. He has been visited by his daughter, Mrs. A. T. Warren, but her greetings of sympathy are met by the old man with curses and grunts of disapprobation.

Hodges' son-in-law, A. T. Warren, states that Hodges is possessed of an ungovernable temper, and has an undying hatred for wealthy people. He eagerly devours all works pertaining to socialism. Mr. Warren unites with his wife in her statement of cruelty practiced by Hodges upon his family. He is given the reputation of being dissolute in his habits, and to have a decided aversion to all kinds of labor. Hodges would, whenever opportunity occurred, advocate community of property, and was never tired of discussing the heartlessness of millionaires and capitalists.

Counselor Clark, of the police department, stated yesterday that the charge of assault with intent to commit murder would be entered upon the register against Hodges. The charge is a grave one, and upon conviction the law provides a penalty of from one to fourteen years' imprisonment in the penitentiary. If Hodges should be convicted of assault to murder, and should receive the extreme penalty of the law, it would be to him equivalent to a life sentence, owing to his advanced age.

The dynamiter's wife, who is 73 years of age, has for some time past been residing with her daughter, being compelled to leave Hodges because of his ill treatment.

Sergeant Moffit has been detailed by Chief Crowley to procure and reduce to writing the statements of persons who witnessed or who are possessed of any knowledge regarding Hodges's fiendish attempt. Yesterday afternoon Louis T. Worden, of 433 Oak street, submitted himself to the official for an interview. Worden and his sister occupied seats in the front row of the gallery, adjoining the seat occupied by Hodges. The statement made by Worden is, in brief, that Mr. Worden and his sister occupied seats in the gallery of the opera house, adjoining Hodges, Worden's sister sitting next to Hodges, on his left-hand side. Worden heard the striking of a match and saw the flame, and at the same time his sister called his attention to the man's actions. Hodges was shielding something with the left lapel of his coat, and after passing the match beneath it a fizzing sound was heard. Hodges then hugged his coat close to his body, as if he wished to smother the fire. A moment later the explosion occurred. Worden picked up the bottle dropped by Hodges and stamped out the burning rags. Miss Worden corroborates the statement made by her brother, and in addition declares that she saw Hodges strike the match on the railing of the gallery. She saw him light something which was shaped like a cigar, and which she at the time took for one. A fizzing sound followed, and then came the explosion. The young lady's cloak and dress were considerably burned by the exploding powder.

MUNCHAUSEN LOOSE.

He Tells a Tale to an Oakland Paper.

The Oakland Tribune has a correspondent who has been talking about Los Angeles—talking glibly and humorously, as will be seen. THE TIMES reproduces a sample of this modern Munchausen's romancing, just to show the quality of his work. His statements do not require refutation. They refute themselves by their extravagance:

When it comes to

A SANDSTORM,

Los Angeles is on deck like a marlinspike. Whew! how she blows. Sometimes she whirls and sometimes she whizzes, but generally she mixes herself up in a sort of a whirling whiz that would bewilder the senses of a fire hydrant and give a lamp post the vertigo. I have seen the sand so thick that you could shovel it out of the air as you would shovel the gravel off a hillside. When the Angeleño (don't forget the Spanish sound of that last "n"), sees the sandstorm afar off in the direction of the San Bernardino desert, he flies terror-stricken to the cellar. Business is suspended, and the Police Court adjourns sine die. Everybody waits until it blows over, like the bank cashier who lives in Canada. If the storm lasts more than three days, the people begin to fear that there is imminent danger of being buried alive, and there is. But this calamity has thus far happily passed them by. After a sandstorm the Angeleño digs out. He is sometimes a week clearing away the superfluous real estate, and about the time he has dusted himself thoroughly and is about to resume business at the old stand along comes another storm. The shovel and the feather duster ought to be rampant in the seal of Los Angeles county, on a field yellow. There is today more San Bernardino loam on the surface of Los Angeles county than native turf, and San Bernardino is entitled to as much credit for the

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as Los Angeles herself. I don't know but San Bernardino deserves more credit, for I do not believe the roots of the orange and lemon have pierced the sand-drift deposited by the San Bernardino desert storms. When the sandstorms are on the wing the one-lunged individual is in deadly peril—at these times he is like the forlorn Italian, "he geta no show." If he is caught away from the cellar of his hospital, his single lung fills with gritty particles, fragments of young red sandstone and other atoms of the stone age, until it is so completely clogged that the unfortunate invalid expires. There is but one creature in Los Angeles that can survive one of these storms in the open, and that is the jackass-rabbit. The burro and the razor-back hog may smother to death in the sandy blizzard, but the jackass-rabbit lives on forever and thrives where no other animal could exist. The johndonkey rabbit is indigenous to the soil of Los Angeles. He is by long years the first inhabitant, and some of the more aristocratic families of that county who affect to believe in the Darwinian theory trace their lineage back to this agile nomad of the plains. The jackass rabbit was monarch of all he surveyed when Los Angeles was a desert, long before Don Abel Stearns's cattle died of thirst and punctuated the plains with their bones, and he will come to his monarchy again when the New Zealander meditates amid the sand-choked ruins of the Baker block and the new theater they are going to build in the so-called "City of Angels."

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Defense of the Sabbath.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 15.—[To the Editor of THE TIMES.] Sure enough, "Society" is the Philosopher's stone, so long sought for in a wrong direction. The logic of "Society a perpetual motion" is irresistible. But the picture is incomplete. It would be well to look to the end, to see the outcome of what is, and is to be as the result of the present. It is true millions of our people have thrown away the balance-wheel that has heretofore guided their life and actions—it is true the whole country is fast growing into the conditions pictured under the head of "Society a perpetual motion" (issue of February 13th). Some of your readers would like to have the picture extended. Let us look the full consequences of obliterating the Sabbath square in the face; the view will do no harm; it may do good. This kind of a picture does not stop at the "work" point. Evidently it will go onward to the logical conclusion. Some one should tell how that society once having thrown away the balance-wheel that regulates character in the individual life, all well-adjusted society life goes with it. Tell how classes of workmen array themselves against other classes; how the unscrupulous will take advantage to injure and destroy the honest, so that it will become rather a disability to be honest. Yes; tell how one badness following close on another will increase the general tumult. From the strife of class against class follow on to the State against State, and then tell how the general government, caught between the contending factions, will fail to fulfill its functions; how the bloodshed and ruin go on till all fall together, a mass of destruction—a heap of débris of towns and cities—monuments to the memory of a desecrated Sabbath.

At this picture, true as it will become, and indeed terribly grand, it is here asserted there are thousands who will laugh—laugh as they now laugh at the countless immoralities and crimes of the day; they laugh at the very things that go to make up the horrid picture and bring the ruin. Everything, good or bad, theft or murder; all that degrades the nobility of human beings, is a subject of laughter; and laughed at as of little consequence anyway; laughed at in derision and scorn and ridicule; as something to be winked at and to have its own way—a "liberty" of passion, selfishness and individual willfulness that is abhorrent.

When one looks at the weekly picture papers characterizing society, it seems as if they were intended to be what is wanted as well as what is made acceptable to the vulgar mind and the common herd. The pictures help to produce the detestable conditions, and then to make a laugh of the whole by labeling it "chestnuts!"

Law and order and decency are overthrown. Vileness and villainy and crime complete the ruin. Without a day of rest the intellect begins to work in disorder and disruption, falling lower, and lower down into a common vortex.

How Many Study Agriculture.

The passage of the bill in the Senate to establish agricultural experiment stations, without calling the ayes and nays, was prefaced by several days of earnest debate, during which a great deal was said about the agricultural interests of the country. The agricultural colleges were also hauled over the coals.

Senator Vest of Missouri thought it was well to look at the result of the liberality on the part of the general government and see how far it had been appreciated by its recipients in their respective States. In other words, whether the farmers of the United States have sent their sons to be educated in these colleges in the art of agriculture. Having applied to the Commissioner of Education, that official states that Alabama, for the year 1885-'86, had; according to the official report, 145 students in her agricultural college. By the same report she had 19 studying agriculture. Arkansas had for 1885-'88 83 in her agricultural college and none studying agriculture. In California, out of 243 students, 5 were studying agriculture; in Colorado, out of 69, 7; in Connecticut, out of 256, none; in Delaware, out of 58, 28; in Georgia, out of 386, 53; in Illinois, out of 332, 25; in Indiana, out of 146, 15; in Iowa, out of 252, none; in Kansas, out of 428, 428. It seems that all the students are studying agriculture there. In Kentucky, out of 216, none; in Louisiana, out of 200, none; in Maine, out of 92, none; in Maryland, out of 43, none; in Massachusetts, out of 99, 99. The desire for agriculture seems to be sporadic and local. In some of the States all are studying it, and in other States none of them study it. In Michigan, out of 295, 255; in Minnesota, which is a great agricultural State, out of 193, 1; a monumental example of agricultural indifference. In Mississippi, out of 291, 141. In Missouri, out of 423 students, 372 study agriculture; in Nebraska, out of 101, 101; in Nevada, no report; in New Hampshire, out of 50, none; in New Jersey, no report; in New York, out of 563, 11; in North Carolina, out of 229, 20; in Ohio, out of 323, 18; in Oregon, no recent information; in Pennsylvania, out of 69, 49; in Rhode Island, out of 239, studies not specified; in South Carolina, out of 594, 110; in Tennessee, out of 184, 74; in Texas, out of 142, 46; in Vermont, out of 163, 19; in Virginia, at Blacksburg, 132, studies not specified; in Virginia, at Hampton, 341 students, and 90 studying agriculture; in West Virginia, out of 107, 27; in Wisconsin, out of 116, 9, making, in th eaggregate, out of 7803 students in the colleges, 2022 in the whole Union studying agriculture.

Winter in Dakota.

The Bismarck Tribune describes the picturesque appearance of a train that recently reached there after a tussle with a blizzard, "The most interesting sight of all," it said, "was the white-capped snowplow which came just ahead of the train. The plow was loaded with several tons of pure white material, and the engine was a gigantic moving icycle, of curious shapes and exquisite beauty. The drivewheels, the boiler, the bell and the smokestack were handsomely slated with ice and snow, and the cab was a perfect little crystal palace."

Omaha is booming, and the Republican says: "It now looks as if this city will have 125,000 population by the 1st of next January."

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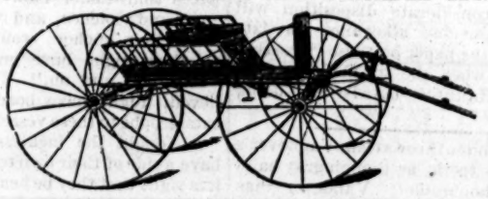

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POINTS OF THE MORNING'S NEWS.

Great storm continues, causing washouts and other damage....Morrow's new anti-Chinese bill....Charges against San Francisco police....Arrest of a jewel thief....Engraver Hoskins gets a medal....Cleveland still looking for suitable Interstate Commerce Commissioners....Decision by Commissioner Sparks....France still concentrating troops on the frontier....Russian activity in the Balkans....Denial of reported sale of a San Francisco street railway....Block, Oppenheimer & Co., of Galveston, fail for $500,000....Accident to Mariposa stage....The Central Pacific road blocked by snow....Anti-com Ins urance Bill defeated in California Senate....Strange suicide at Suspension Bridge....San Diego contributes land for depot... A quail-eater's feat....Three sailors killed at San Francisco....Austro-Hungary votes money for war....Important decision by California Supreme Court .... Prisoners to be released on Queen Victoria's jubilee. ....Republicans carry Philadelphia....Outrages by strikers in the East....Chamberlain's plan for the government of Ireland. ....A panic in Egypt.

MORROW has put in a new Chinese, or rather anti-Celestial, bill.

CAN'T J. Pluvius perceive that this is becoming somewhat of a chestnut?

NO San Francisco papers were received here yesterday. This will cause a loneliness in the "telegraphic" columns of this morning's Daily Betsy.

THE President is hunting for some able-bodied and strong-minded men to serve as Interstate Commerce Commissioners. What's the matter with the r. y. j.?

PATRONS of THE TIMES of a thoughtful and considerate disposition will make reasonable allowance for late service of the paper on these "beastly" mornings when the storm is on. The carriers—faithful boys!—are doing their best.

THE Tribune throws Gen. Vandever's *ayes* in his teeth, as though gray hairs were dishonorable! Vandever has grown gray in the service of his country; but that counted for nothing with his Democratic opponent in the Congressional race. It seems also to count for nothing with Lynch's imitator and servile but secret champion, the imbecile and flatulent Tribune.

THE gibbering and slobbering Tribune undertakes to defend its treason to Gen. Vandever, which has disgusted and incensed hundreds of Republicans in this community. It now pretends to a friendship for the Republican Congressman-elect which its partisan utterances belie. It is not Vandever's answer to Lynch that "won't do." It is his pretentious, hypocritical, ignorant and dishonest newspaper assailant that "won't do."

THE editor of the Los Angeles Tribune, a recent and loudly-heralded importation to Los Angeles, makes much ostentatious pretense of *courtesy* alleged to have been shown by him to THE TIMES. When? Where? How? His ideas of courtesy appear to be very peculiar. Courteous editors—gentlemen—honest men—do not deliberately and consciously publish known false editorial statements concerning their contemporaries personally, as the editor of the Tribune has brashly done. An effort to mend his manners in this regard might be made by him with profit. *Sabe?*

THE Board of Trade has adopted the best possible method for demonstrating to Postmaster-General Vilas that the people of Los Angeles are in dead earnest when they call for additional postoffice facilities. In a series of resolutions, which appears elsewhere today, the Board calls for the opening of a dollar subscription for raising the sum of $400 to enable Postmaster Green to employ two additional clerks for the next three months. We have no doubt that the people of Los Angeles will respond readily to this proposition. They will raise the fund and thereby rebuke the niggardly head of the Postoffice Department, and get their money's worth in the improved service besides. This subscription list might be made as fine a piece of humor as that famous one that originated in Los Angeles a year or so ago, signed by a great multitude of "colonels," who each and all subscribed the munificent sum of one cent for the object of lighting the postoffice. How would it do to get the signatures of two or three hundred local statesmen, with that impressive title prefixed to every signature? It might fill the Postmaster-General plumb full of awe, and cause him to do something quick.

The Marine Disasters at San Pedro.

A practical sailor, who is at the same time a gentleman of character and standing in the community, sends THE TIMES the following pertinent letter about the recent shipwrecks at San Pedro, which he holds were avoidable:

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 15.—[To the Editor of THE TIMES.] I notice in a special dispatch to the Evening Express an account of the ship Kennebeck and bark St. Louis being blown ashore and totally wrecked at San Pedro during the gale of Monday night, and of two other vessels that hauled in their anchors and went to sea; and the question naturally arises, why did not the Kennebeck and St. Louis also try to make an offing during Monday? It is presumed that all these vessels had barometers, as not many vessels go to sea without this instrument. Early on Saturday there was every indication by the barometer of a storm. My barometer went down .4 between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m on that day. On Sunday the tendency was downward; on Monday at noon it fell another .1, standing at 29 deg. 5 min., and by 6 p.m., 29 deg. 4 min. The wind for three days had varied from east by south to southeast; so that, I say, these vessels had ample warning, and should not have remained at anchor until, as the dispatch says, "the waves ran mountains high" and the ships were tossed about like chips. By looking at the coast chart or a map of this county you can readily see how, with the wind as it was, they could have gone to sea or run under the lee of Catalina Island or gone north of the cape into Santa Monica Bay. We shall now hear how unsafe it is for vessels to anchor off San Pedro, and that you are bound to go ashore if it blows; that "it's bad holding ground," etc.; whereas, I contend there has not been a gale on this coast for 10 years that there has not been timely warning by the barometer for any vessel anchored in the roadstead to have taken her anchor and made an offing. No prudent shipmaster would anchor in such a place without being prepared to slip his cable and run at a few minutes' notice. Yet, I am told that not half the vessels that anchor there ever use buoys. Like our city fathers with the Los Angeles River, they never expect it to rise, and shipmasters never expect rough weather on this semi-tropical coast; but I doubt if the neglect of the latter will be so readily excused by shipowners and underwriters as the former are by the citizens of Los Angeles.

A SAILOR.

It seems to us that these criticisms are apt and deserved, and we give place to them the more readily because they come from an experienced and intelligent shipmaster. The masters of the ill-fated vessels certainly had ample warning—plenty of time in which to get up anchor and go to sea, or hunt a less exposed portion of the coast. The direction of the storm, if not anticipated before it came on (which it might have been by sailors familiar with this coast and its dangers), became apparent while there was yet time to put to sea without danger of being driven back upon the shore. By rounding Point Fermin and moving a very few leagues to the northward and westward, in the direction of the Ballona and Santa Monica, the lost ships might have found, not a lee shore, to be sure, but a spot where the fierce southeaster blew with far less force and violence, and where, doubtless, their anchors would have held. Or they might have put to sea and "stood off and on." Thus, it is believed, might have been averted the catastrophe to these vessels.

No doubt the luckless shipmasters have a side of their own to the story, and it is right that they be heard; but unless they can make a good case it will be right to have some official inquiry made into their conduct on the occasion.

While it is not pretended that San Pedro Bay is all that could be desired as a harbor of refuge, it has nevertheless always been recognized by the officials of the United States Coast Survey as well protected in every direction except against the winter gales from the southeast round to the southwest. "During the spring, summer and autumn it is an excellent roadstead," says Prof. Davidson. From Point Fermin, which is the southeast point of high land west of the bay, the line of bluff runs exactly north and south for about two miles, being bold, and averaging sixty feet in height. It is here that the ship Kennebec and the barkentine St. Louis might have found safety.

The coast and bottom in this locality are further described in the "Coast Pilot of California," the standard nautical authority published by the Government. Here are its sailing directions: "Vessels coming [to San Pedro] from the westward through the Santa Barbara Channel make San Pedro Hill (1600 feet high), forming the west side of the bay, as an island projected against the mountains to the southward and eastward. Approaching Point Vicente, which is the southwest point of the hill, vessels can keep it close aboard, there being from fifty to eighty fathoms within a mile of the shore; round Point Fermin within half a mile, in from six to ten fathoms, and open the small island called El Moro [Dead Man's Island]; run for that island, and when abreast of the landing, about one mile north of Point Fermin, anchor in three fathoms, hard bottom, and half a mile off shore. Vessels must anchor a mile off to get five fathoms."

Coming from the south with northwest winds, the directions are to "beat in boldly until abreast of the landing; keep the lead going and anchor anywhere in the vicinity. Do not approach the low shore, to the north and east of El Moro [Dead Man's Island], closer than one mile, at which limit four fathoms water will be found."

Then follows an injunction which it is evident, from the dispatch, the masters of the two vessels did not obey closely: "In winter, anchor further out, *and more to the northward*, in order to be able to slip and go to sea should a heavy southeaster spring up." In 1852, it is recorded, the clipper brig Fremont here rode out a very heavy southeast gale of three days' duration.

The fact will probably be developed, by investigation, that the unfortunate masters permitted themselves to be lulled into a false security by the same delusive idea that is said by the irreverent to have taken possession of the people who made light of that great flood in sacred history that Noah rode out successfully. "It ain't going to be much of a shower, nohow," said the scoffers—and they were done for; they had to take water, and lots of it.

The Veterans' Home.

The Board of Trade has shown its usual alertness for the interests of Los Angeles in taking up the subject of securing the location of the new home for disabled veterans here—an object which THE TIMES has heretofore favored, and still favors. The appropriation by Congress for this purpose is $100,000, and there are no restrictions as to its location, except that the home shall be west of the Rocky Mountains. There are a thousand good reasons to be urged why the home should be established in Los Angeles or at some other eligible point in Southern California. This is, *par excellence*, the sanitarium of the United States. If Uncle Sam wishes to provide well for his worn-out and broken-down old soldiers—the men of that incomparable army of embattled citizens to whose heroic endurance and matchless valor the Republic owes its life—why shouldn't he send them where there are no frosts to make their bones ache, no torrid days to oppress them—where December's as pleasant as the latter part of July—and where their surroundings may all be beautified to cheer the veteran's down-hill road to the final discharge? In point of accessibility by railroads, Los Angeles enjoys superior advantages to any other city on the Pacific coast. The establishment of the home here would be a great boon to the old soldiers, and it would also be a just recognition of the geographical and climatic fitness of this section. Here these war-worn men of the grand army of 1861-'65 would be enabled to enjoy a measure of physical comfort not possible for them to attain at any point in the transmontane region of the country. Here they could live a greater number of hours daily out of doors than elsewhere, enjoying the maximum of sunshine and requiring only the minimum of fuel and indoor confinement. Here the stronger of them might perform light and pleasant tasks under our benignant skies, when such a thing would be a physical impossibility on the Atlantic side. Thus the grounds and lands that the home might have about it could be improved, beautified and made fruitful, and at the same time the veterans derive pleasure and benefit from their light employments, promoting health of body and peace of mind, and increasing longevity. These are tangible considerations, that deserve to be heeded by the authorities.

Let the board continue the quest with its accustomed energy and thoroughness, and there is good prospect of its accomplishing a double good.

THE Tribune has the supreme hardihood to refer to its political course during the late campaign, and to accuse THE TIMES of mugwumping. THE TIMES opposed a candidate whose rank unfitness for any public office it proved. The Republicans of the State, the county, the city and of that candidate's own ward ratified the position of THE TIMES by their ballots. As we have before had occasion to remark, the Boyce gang, which gave birth to the Tribune, and still controls it, deliberately banded against some of the best nominees on the Republican county ticket; not because of even an alleged unfitness, but because the Democrats for whom they preferred to work held out, or might hold out, pecuniary inducements. That's the kind of Republicans they are! It is not surprising that they are now trying to assassinate Gen. Vandever. Their claim of superior loyalty and devotion to the Republican party is monstrous hypocrisy and insufferable impudence.

AMUSEMENTS.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.—The good reports which have gone out concerning the Carleton Opera Company had the effect of drawing a large audience last night in spite of the continued wet weather; and the reception accorded to the second performance of *Nanon* must have been quite gratifying to those taking part.

Miss Fanny Rice, as "Nanon," is a very graceful and pretty young lady, and she invests the character she assumes with quite an original naiveté. Her acting is spontaneous, and her voice is exactly suited to the requirements of the part. The other lady participants, especially Miss Alice Vincent as "Ninon de l'Enclos," exhibit personal charms of unusual attractiveness and act and sing with great spirit and effect. Charles H. Drew is the leading genius of the opera in the low comedy line and his performance of the "Marquis de Marsellac" was a piece of genuine fun such as could only have been achieved by an actor of excellent capabilities in his line. The character of his nephew "Hector" as played by J. C. Taylor would be improved by the omission of an entirely inappropriate "topical song" which is too much of the variety order to be in harmony with the rest of the opera; but so long as such fatuous nonsense is applauded by a portion of the audience it will, no doubt, continue to be administered. Mr. Greensfelder has a fine bass voice and his rendition of the "Abbé Choiseul" is comical in its inappropriateness. If he could act as well as he sings there would be nothing left to be desired.

Mr. Carleton's merits as actor and singer grow upon his audience during the progress of the piece, and his reception was quite enthusiastic last night. All that he does seems to be achieved without apparent effort and his mastery of the details of stage business seems about perfect.

There is a round dozen of blonde young ladies nicely matched in height and symmetrical proportion, and who, during the piece, don various costumes of bewildering effect. Their striking appearance in addition to the other attractive auxiliaries is evidently much appreciated by the male portion of the audience.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.

My Dear Sir: In view of the near adjournment of Congress, and in order that the time may suffice for the selection and confirmation of my successor, I desire again to place my resignation of the office of Secretary of the Treasury in your hands, and trust you will now deem its acceptance beneficial to the public service. When you requested me last June to delay insisting upon the acceptance of my resignation, as again in our conference of last October you honored me with such terms of personal consideration and so expressed your decision in respect to the requirements of the public service that it was as impossible to question my duty as to forget your kindness. I have not spared myself in my endeavor to comply with your wish and to contribute to the support of the policies which have illustrated your administration. The approaching end of the Forty-ninth Congress marks a period in your own term of office and in the divisions of our political calendar. If a change must occur in the heads of departments and at your council board it is clear that your personal convenience and the public interests are best subserved that it should occur now. Moreover the financial situation is to be seriously different from that which opened before us when the present Congress closed upon its life, and upon the opportunities created by the transfer of the people's trust to new hands. In this most critical condition a circumspect execution of a wise fiscal policy or of administrative reforms in the collection and disbursement of our colossal revenues is not only demanded, though labors such as these have exacted and exhibited the abilities of our foremost statesmen since the constitution of the government, but there is also an exhausting round of daily administration tasks which, however subordinate and clerical, an efficient Secretary of the Treasury cannot or could not evade. These are tasks beyond my present strength. I therefore submit to your judgment that in making my release by the 4th of March, or as soon as you may select my successor, I fulfill a duty to my family that may now be permitted to outweigh the duty of accepting longer that assignment of public service which two years ago you did me the honor to make. In returning to the ranks of that great party which has called you to its lead, I shall still hope to follow its fortunes under your successful guidance with a fellow-citizen's loyal pride. Very respectfully yours,

DANIEL MANNING.

THE RESIGNATION ACCEPTED.

EXECUTIVE MANSION,
WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.

Hon. Daniel Manning, Secretary of the Treasury—MY DEAR SIR: Your formal letter of resignation, which I have received, though not entirely unexpected, presents the reality of a severance of our official relations, and causes me the deepest regret. This is tempered only by the knowledge that the frank and friendly personal relations which have unbrokenly existed between us are still to continue. I refer to these because such personal relations supply, after all, whatever of comfort and pleasure the world affords, and because I feel it to be almost superfluous to speak of the aid and support you have given me, and the assistance you have furnished to the administration of the government during the time you have directed the affairs of the exacting and laborious office which you now seek to surrender. Your labors, your achievements, your success and your devotion to public duty, are fully seen and known, and they challenge the appreciation and gratitude of all your countrymen. Since I must at last relinquish my hope of your continuance on my side as counsellor and colaborer, and since I cannot question the reasons upon which your request to be relieved is based, it only remains for me to accept the resignation you have tendered, and to express my profound thanks for all that you have done for me in sharing manfully my labors and perplexities of the last two years. I feel that I may still ask of you that the 1st day of April next be fixed as the date at which your resignation shall take effect, and that you will so regulate what remains to you of official duty in the meantime as to secure that measure of freedom from vexatious labor which you have so justly earned. With the hope that in the path of life you may hereafter follow there may be allowed to you more of comfort and of ease than the conscientious discharge of duty here permits, I am very sincerely yours,

GROVER CLEVELAND.

The President will nominate a successor to Secretary Manning before the adjournment of Congress, but the appointment will not take effect before April 1st.

LOOKING FOR THE RIGHT MEN.

The President is having considerable trouble in securing suitable railroad men to serve as Commissioners under the Interstate Commerce Bill. He finds that the class he would like are drawing salaries as general managers and suprintendents ranging all the way from $12,000 and $15,000 to $25,000 a year. The President has also determined that the members of the Commission shall be young men. He said: "I want men on the board who are sound physically as well as mentally. I want, in other words, men who can make, if necessary, a hurried trip to California, solve an intricate problem and return in the same hurried fashion to Washington, stopping on the way for a few days in Chicago to do the same work there, and still not feel the fatigue of the trip. There will be a great deal of traveling and a great deal of hard work. It will be no sinecure. Whoever takes a place on the board will earn every dollar of his salary."

MORROW'S NEW CHINESE BILL.

The bill introduced in the House yesterday by Mr. Morrow to amend the Restriction Act authorizes the Secretary of the Treasury to prescribe the forms and devices of certificates to be issued to departing Chinese and to contain particulars in addition to those now provided by law to identify the persons to whom the certificates are issued. There is not the slightest hope of the passage of Mr. Morrow's original bill introduced last session, and he has introduced this as a sort of forlorn hope of doing something to remedy the abuses of the present law.

A LAND CASE.

Acting Secretary of the Interior Muldrow has written a letter to Atty.-Gen. Garland, in which he says that on the 2d of November last the Interior Department received a letter from Messrs. Jacobs & Barnes, attorneys, together with the petitions of citizens of Tulare and Fresno counties, Cal., asking that proceedings be begun to determine the validity of certain patents issued to the Southern Pacific Railroad for lands within these counties. The attorneys' letter, with the inclosure, was referred to Commissioner Sparks, who has reported adversely on the application, and the Commissioner's findings are approved by the Secretary of the Interior. He cites the case of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company vs. Orten, decided by Judge Sawyer, of the United States Circuit Court, in 1879, where the same questions involved in the petition were decided; and he maintains that the company is legally entitled to the lands adjacent to its line of road, notwithstanding the change of the original location of the route

NOMINATED.

The President sent the following nominations to the Senate today: Capt. Adolphus W. Greely, Fifth Cavalry, to be Chief Signal Officer, with the rank of brigadier-general; J. L. Hanna, to be postmaster at Oakland, Cal.

MORE BONDS TO BE CALLED.

It is expected that a call for $10,000,000 3 per cent. bonds will be issued next week, and that the entire 3 per cent. loan, of which there is now about $40,000,000 outstanding, will be entirely extinguished before the 1st of July.

RECOGNIZED.

The President has recognized Liang Ting Tsa as Consul-General of the Chinese Empire at the port of San Francisco, and Francisco L. Prieto as Consul of the United States of Mexico at Rio Grande city.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Charges of Rottenness in the Police Department.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—[By the Associated Press.] Ex-Police Officer William Burdette has filed an affidavit with the Police Commissioners in which he charges Capt. Douglass with blackmail, and Sergt. Fleming with perjury, in having given testimony to exonerate the proprietress of a house of ill fame, who was on trial for robbing a visitor at her place, and finally Counselor Clarke with having used his position to influence members of the Police Department for political purposes.

VICTIMIZED JEWELERS.

Several jewelers of this city lodged a complaint with Chief of Police Crowley, a few days ago, claiming that J. E. Beaumont, who represented himself as a San Leandro jeweler, had robbed them of property to the value of $4000. The Chief has received a dispatch from City Marshal White, of El Paso, announcing that he has captured Beaumont within the Mexican lines.

A BROAD DENIAL.

The officials of the Market-street system of cable roads say there is no truth in the rumor that the company has purchased the Mission-street horse-car line, nor that it intended to purchase the Geary-street cable road.

SINGULAR FATALITY.

A peculiar fatality occurred aboard the bark Memnon, from Tacoma, as she was crossing the bar at the entrance of the harbor, this afternoon, in tow of the tug Relief. The bitts around which the hawser was fastened on the bark, broke, and struck the forecastle, and killed three seamen in its passage overboard.

The men killed were Martin Kisky, aged 50; one known as Henry, aged 50, and another known as Gus, aged 28. The two former were Finns; the latter was a German. All were unmarried.

AN IMPORTANT DECISION.

The Supreme Court today rendered a decision in the appealed case of The People vs. The Hibernia Savings and Loan Society. Judge Maguire, of the lower court, rendered a judgment in this case in January, 1885, directing that a peremptory mandate be issued ordering the corporation to permit the Attorney-General to fully examine all the bank's books and papers, with a view to ascertaining what real estate or personal property in the hands of the bank had escheated or should have escheated to the State. The Supreme Court remands the case for a new trial, holding that the law does not require that books and papers of a corporation should be submitted for examination to the Attorney-General or his counsel before proceedings are instituted to recover escheated property. The Supreme Court also takes the same action in the appealed case of The People vs. The German Savings and Loan Society as in the case of the Hibernia Savings and Loan Society, and reverses the previous judgment on the same grounds.

DIPHTHERIA.

Eleven new cases of diphtheria were reported today.

AN ABDUCTION.

A Redskin Romeo Causes a Serious Fight.

[San Bernardino Times, Feb. 12.]

The Indian population of this vicinity are considerably worked up over an affair which took place over in San Timeteo cañon a few days ago, and dusky females who wear bangs a la aborigine and who are a conspicuous ornament on the city curbstones are indulging in considerable gossip over it. A Times reporter got wind of the affair from a statement made by a prominent rancher who resides in that direction and ferreted out the details of the case. The statement made by the rancher was to the effect that a serious fight took place a considerable distance up the cañon a few nights ago between a half dozen or so of angry bucks, in which it was reported that an old Indian was badly cut up. He could give no further particulars. From a half-breed who claims to have witnessed the fight a reporter learned the following facts: A young buck living in San Timeteo cañon had become infatuated with the daughter of an old Coahuilla Indian who dweit in the mountains east of this city, and made frequent pilgrimages thither to pay his attentions to the copper-colored idol of his heart. The old gentleman, however, was something of an aristocrat, a thoroughbred, and he swore a big oath that no half-breed should ever seek the hand of his daughter, and accordingly he ordered the young buck to quit the premises, threatening to shoot him if he continued his visits. The y. b. was bound to get his prize, however, and about a week ago he got a number of bucks to go up to the old Coahuilla's place with him to carry off the girl. Before going they came to town and procured a supply of whisky from a notorious Third-street saloon. When they reached the place the forbidden lover remained outside while his friends entered the hut and proceeded to get the inmates gloriously drunk. This done they toted the girl off to San Timeteo.

When the old Indian became sober and found his daughter gone he put on war-paint instanter. He got a number of his friends and the gang went over to San Timeteo, and were there informed that the girl had gone to parts unknown. An investigation, however, proved to the contrary, and in the endeavor to get possession of the girl a general fight ensued. Knives were drawn, clubs used, and some of the participants were badly hurt. The father of the girl was cut in the face, breast and arms and is now reported to be in a very dangerous condition. Fearing arrest, the breeds have been keeping the affair quiet, but it is believed that two or three Indians are lying in a bad condition somewhere up the cañon. The young squaw and her lover have disappeared.

Will Celebrate.

Alhambra proposes to have a grand celebration of Washington's Birthday, and invites the stranger to come within her gates and be merry. Round-trip tickets from Los Angeles will be only 40 cents.

WINTER'S BLASTS.

The Great Storm Still Raging in California.

Railway Roadbeds Washed Out and Trains Ditched.

San Diego Indulges in a Small Inundation of Her Own.

The Central Pacific Road Blockaded by Snow—Collapse of Snow-sheds in the Sierras—Three Men Missing—Incidents of the Great Storm.

By Telegraph to The Times.

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 15.—[By the Associated Press.] An engine and six cars of a northbound freight train on the California Southern left the track near Delmar, twenty miles north of here, yesterday, owing to the rails spreading, in consequence of the rain washing away the roadbed. Several small washouts are also reported between here and Colton. No one was hurt by the wreck, which is being cleared away. No trains have arrived or departed since, except wrecking trains. This afternoon the wind blew forty miles an hour, with light rain and snow. Last night it rained hard. Two and five hundredth inches of rain has fallen during the last twenty-four hours, and it is still raining, making 5.75 inches for the season. Owing to street washouts, street cars have not run all day.

FLOODS FEARED AT SANTA ANA.

SANTA ANA, Feb. 15.—There was a storm of wind and rain during last night. Fully 2¼ inches of rain has fallen in the past 24 hours. The Santa Ana River is very much swollen and fears are entertained that should more rain fall the Santa Ana River will overflow its banks. The early morning train that left here for Los Angeles was detained three hours at Downey on account of bad tracks, and only one train has arrived here from Los Angeles today. It commenced to rain again at 4 this afternoon and has been raining ever since.

SNOW IN ANTELOPE VALLEY.

LANCASTER, Feb. 15.—A heavy rain commenced all over Antelope Valley yesterday afternoon and continued all night, changing into a heavy snowstorm during the night. Three inches of snow covers the ground at Lancaster. It is melting rapidly. A heavier fall is reported southward. The mail-carrier from Elizabeth reports over two feet of snow at 6 o'clock this morning and snowing hard. The total rainfall here is 1.75 inches. There is a much larger amount in the interior. It is still snowing this afternoon.

THE STORM AT GONZALES.

GONZALES, Feb. 15.—It commenced raining last night at 9 o'clock, and up to 3 o'clock this afternoon 1.12 inches had fallen, making 2.93 for the storm. It is snowing in the mountains. On account of a washout between Kings and Soledad the north-bound passenger train was thirty-five minutes late today, and the north-bound freight was abandoned. Schools have suspended on account of bad weather.

A HOPEFUL OUTLOOK.

SOLEDAD, Feb. 15.—Passenger trains have not been laid over at this place, but freight trains have for one day. There is no fear of more delays, as the roadbed south of here is in better condition than on yesterday.

SNOW-BOUND.

The Central Pacific Blockaded Between Colfax and Cisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—[By the Associated Press.] A serious snow blockade exists on the Central Pacific Railroad between Colfax and Cisco. The overland train that left here yesterday is detained at Colfax and the west-bound train at Cisco. Until yesterday trains came through by the aid of snow plows and gangs of shovelers, but the continued fall of snow which the wind drifted on the track finally rendered all efforts to keep the track clear futile. One engine was derailed, and banked in a drift. Every endeavor is still being made to open the line, but owing to the wires being down it is difficult to ascertain the exact situation. The steamer Mariposa announced to sail last Saturday for Australia, was detained until today to await the arrival of the English mails. Owing to the snow blockade her departure has again been postponed until Thursday.

TOWLES (Placer county), Feb. 15.—The snow which began to fall on Saturday ceased today. The blockade on the Central Pacific between here and Blue cañon, extending a distance of four miles, is expected to be raised by tomorrow morning.

SNOWSHEDS COLLAPSED.

VIRGINIA CITY (Nev.), Feb. 15.—News is received here late tonight that the snowsheds at Blue cañon have collapsed. Conductor Hood, a brakeman, yardmaster and one other are missing. A plow and seven engines were ditched.

STORM NOTES.

The Rainfall as Reported in Various Sections.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—[By the Associated Press.] Seven hundredths of an inch of rain fell in this city during the past 24 hours. It is now clear.

FRESNO, Feb. 15.—The rainfall for the 24 hours to 8 this morning was .66; for the season, 5.10.

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 15.—The rainfall here yesterday was the heaviest of the season, and continued all night.

LATHROP, Feb. 15.—The rainfall for the past 24 hours is .72. Weather cloudy. Indications are good for more rain.

ST. HELENA, Feb. 15.—The rainfall of the latest storm is 5.23; for the season, 17.03. Indications are for more rain. Vineyardists are happy.

PASO ROBLES, Feb. 15.—The roads and the mountains to San Luis Obispo are in very bad condition. Mail stages have failed to get through since Sunday night. Snow is lying on the summits of the mountains to the northeast.

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 15.—It has been raining all day. About one inch has fallen, making 12 inches for the season. No mails have got through for two days.

Rapid Growth.

The Young Men's Christian Associations in less than five years have grown from two to twenty-two in this State; from one man giving his whole time, to seventeen men giving their whole time; from a membership of 600 to over 6000. Eleven associations carry on evening classes, in the following practical studies, according to the needs of the members: Writing, German, Spanish, drawing, stenography, bookkeeping, elocution, vocal music. Seven associations have gymnasiums. The local association located at 212 West Second street, expect to carry on the fourfold work of the association just as soon as they can secure a building. Over $25,000, one-half the needed sum has been secured.

Land for a Depot.

SAN DIEGO, Feb, 15.—The Board of City Trustees have agreed to deed half a block in the town to the Atchison Railroad Company, which agreed to build a $25,000 union depot within six months.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

More Signs of the Coming Struggle.

Austro-Hungary Votes Large Sums for Warlike Preparations.

Russia Still Trying to Bulldoze the Bulgarians.

Victoria's Great Jubilee to be Celebrated by the Release of Thousands of Prisoners in India—English Statesmen at Work on the Irish Question.

By Telegraph to The Times.

PESTH, Feb. 15.—[By Cable.] The government today submitted to the lower house of the Hungarian Diet a bill appropriating 7,460,000 florins to supply the Hungarian Landwehr and army service with stands of arms and material and to equip the first band of Landsturm. All parties in the house, after conference, agreed to vote for the passage of the bill without debate. The measure was at once referred to the Military and Financial Committee of the house. The preamble to the bill explains that the credits asked for are demanded as a natural sequence of the adoption of the bill organizing the Landsturm or volunteers called out in case of war. The preamble goes on to say that in view of the military reserves which other European States are taking, it would be a serious omission for Austro-Hungary to longer refrain from equipping the Landsturm. The Empire, it is added, is interested in peaceful progress. The efforts of the government are directed to maintain peace, and if it is not desirable to be surprised, the government must, like any one unwilling to sacrifice vital interests, be prepared, in case of necessity, to sacrifice everything in the defense of monarchy.

VIENNA, Feb. 15.—The government has introduced a bill in the Reichsrath appropriating 12,000,000 florins for the equipment of the Landwehr and Landsturm.

PESTH, Feb. 15.—The Military Committee of the Lower House of the Hungarian Diet has approved the credit of 7,460,000 florins asked by the government for the national defense.

TROUBLE ON THE FRONTIER.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—Paris newspapers report many disquieting incidents on the German frontier. *La Justice* learns from Neufchatel that not a single soldier is allowed leave of absence for even half an hour on any pretense, the commander having learned that Germany is seeking a pretex for a petty quarrel.

A journal in Alsace reports that the Leipsic court has issued a warrant for searching the house of Herr Schmitz of Strassburg, secretary of Herr Kable's election committee, who was suspended for being connected with the Deroulede League and that the police ransacked the house but found nothing of a criminating nature. The houses of numerous bankers and others throughout the provinces are reported to have been searched for similar reasons.

THE SITUATION GROWING MORE SERIOUS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—[By the Associated Press.] The Star's London cablegram says: "Telegrams from the European capitals are still more warlike. Berlin dispatches assert that the German government has received positive advices of a continued concentration of French troops in direct contradiction to the instructions alleged to have been issued by Gen. Boulanger. Late Paris telegrams confirm the reports that the Alsace-Lorraine garrisons are being brought up to war strength, and give additional accounts of heavy movements of German troops to guard the French frontier. A Vienna dispatch states that the ministers of war have suddenly stopped work on French and Russian contracts for magazine rifles, revolvers and munitions of war. All the factories are now working exclusively on small arms and ammunition for the Austrian government. The press censorship at St. Petersburg has to a great extent dried up sources of information, but through Roumenian channels it is learned that two Russian army corps are completing their concentration in the southeast, and heavy reinforcements are going from the interior to the southwest. From Constantinople we learn that M. Zankoff is urging the Porte to press the powers for a decision on his proposals for a settlement of the Bulgarian question. The Bulgarian representatives, acting on the advice of Sir William White, are evading a definite reply and awaiting the development of events. Zankoff's proposals are supported by Russia and opposed by Austria, England and Italy. Zankoff has declared that no settlement short of a division of Bulgarian authority between the existing regency and representatives of Russia will be accepted by the latter government. The opinion prevails at Constantinople that Zankoff will soon return to Bulgaria to stir up insurrection and afford Russia an excuse for intervention."

FOREIGN NOTES.

Prisoners to be Freed in Honor of Victoria's Jubilee.

CALCUTTA, Feb. 15.—[By Cable.] Twenty-five thousand of 75,000 prisoners confined in the jails throughout India will be released tomorrow, as an act of clemency to commemorate the jubilee of Queen Victoria. In selecting prisoners to be liberated especial pains has been taken to show clemency to females. All persons imprisoned for debt throughout India, where the debt is under 100 rupees, will be liberated tomorrow; also, in commemoration of the jubilee, in these cases, the government will pay the debts.

THE IRISH QUESTION.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—Chamberlain and Sir George Treveylan today resumed the conference on Irish affairs with Baron Herschel, Sir William Vernon Harcourt and Morley. Chamberlain presented the draft of a scheme for the government of Ireland, which modifies his former proposals for the establishment of provincial councils. He would now establish an Ulster Parliament at Belfast and another at Dublin, both to be subordinate to the imperial Parliament, the Irish bodies holding exclusive authority within their own limits, but the Crown retaining the appointment of judges, and the control of customs and excise matters. The conference lasted several hours. Morley declared emphatic opposition to Chamberlain's proposal. It is said to be impossible to obtain the assent of the Parnellites or the bulk of the Gladstonian Liberals to a scheme which has already been rejected by Gladstone.

PANIC AT CAIRO.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—A panic has been caused in financial and military circles at Cairo by the withdrawal of the annual subvention of £240,000 for expenses of the Egyptian army.

Spoiled Brick.

The Baker Iron Works placed an iron grating across a culvert at their works on Buena Vista street, and the result was that the débris choked the place, causing the water to back and overflow the brickyard belonging to Mr. Goss, of the City Council, and a kiln of over 200,000 green brick is settling into the mud.

LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS.

Senate.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 15.—[By the Associated Press.] The bill repealing section 1422 of the Civil Code was amended as recommended by the committee, and was then ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Clunie's Anti-compact Insurance Bill came up as the special order for a third reading.

Mr. Wilson moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Mr. Clunie spoke against this motion. Before he concluded recess was announced.

After recess Mr. Clunie resumed his argument, in the course of which he said that the insurance business should be conducted like every other business and that 104 corporations, representing $400,000,000 capital, should not be allowed to combine against the people. He was not making war upon corporations, but against combinations. He recognized the fact that when a bill has the weight of $400,000,000 against it, it has little chance of passing.

Senator Rose said that the Board of Trade of Los Angeles had telegraphed him to vote against the bill. He had been approached by others, but he thought it one of the rights of the people to demand fair competition. What would be the result to all trades if all kinds of business should combine to fix prices? Combination kills competition.

Mr. Gesford was at loss to know how there could be a division of opinion upon a question of this kind. The Senator from Los Angeles probably gave the reason when he said that the people were on one side of the question, while $400,000,000 in shining gold were on the other.

Mr. Dray opposed the bill.

Mr. Wilson, who thought it was a short-sighted policy, denied that compacts had increased the rates of insurance. He then read a petition against the passage of the bill signed by the officers of insurance companies. An open rate war, he urged, would not be in the interest of home companies. Argument was made to show that the rates had on the whole been diminished by compacts.

The vote on the motion to strike out the enacting clause resulted: Yeas, 20; nays, 15, thus defeating the bill.

Mr. Clunie changed his vote from nay to aye and gave notice of reconsideration.

Senate bill 192, appropriating $65,000 for the support of the Home of Adult Blind, was finally passed.

Assembly.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 15.—In the Assembly Mr. Hyde introduced a bill to establish a California State Weather Service.

Mr. Granger introduced a Constitutional amendment relating to the control by the State of the waters thereof for beneficial uses.

Mr. Wright's Irrigation Bill, with the amendments agreed on by the Irrigation Committee, was ordered engrossed.

The Committee on Military Affairs requested leave of absence to visit Los Angeles, which was granted by a vote of 32 to 14.

On motion of Mr. Shanahan, this action was subsequently reconsidered, and amendments to allow the chairman to go, and to let a majority of the committee have leave, were voted down.

The resolution was then adopted—40 to 18.

STATE CAPITAL NOTES.

The County Division Bill—The New Charters Read.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 15.—[By the Associated Press.] In the Assembly yesterday the Colusa County Division Bill, which had been special as the order for 2 o'clock was called up fifteen minutes later, when Speaker Jordan declared that it had become unfinished business as it had been called up too late. An animated discussion ensued, which ended in a motion to consider the bill being carried. A debate then took place as to whether the bill should be read a second time. This was finally ordered by a vote of 42 to 16.

At the evening session of the Assembly yesterday the charters of Chico, Los Angeles, Oakland, Stockton and San José were read for the first time.

Delayed Excursion.

The following is an alphabetical list of places contributing to the Warner Bros. and Crosby excursion, now past due, and which will probably get in today:

Anderson, Ind.—Mrs. F. Seeman.
Allentown, Pa.—Miss Anna Stahl.
Blue Island, Ill.—Miss E. A. Jones.
Bay City, Mich.—John Goddard and family.
Boston—Charles W. Kent.
Burton, O.—Anna S. Hone, Miss H. A. Cutler.
Brockton, Mass.—Mrs. H. Copeland.
Brockford, Canada—E. H. Cavanaugh.
Bienwald, W. Va.—R. Coates and family.
Chicago—P. Harty and wife, George B. Morton, W. H. Fisher, Albert Leverence, K. D. Miller, F. D. Smith, C. Fishback.
Clark, O.—R. G. Wallace and wife, Miss Ella Wilson.
Cincinnati—A. M. and G. H. Sampson.
Chase, Mich.—Mrs. W. H. Ames and children.
Cedar Falls, Iowa—Miss J. E. McWilliams.
Clinton, Iowa—Miss Nettie Cochran, J. J. Walker.
Creighton, Mo.—C. J. Pitch and family.
Columbus, O.—Misses Anna M. Goether, Nettie Johnson, Lizzie Dewey, and T. L. Johnson and wife.
Etiwanda, Cal.—R. L. Louthian.
Fort Wayne, Ind.—Miss Nellie Hettinger.
Freeport, Ill.—H. P. Bell.
Fredonia, Iowa—W. F. Randolph.
Halifax, Nova Scotia—G. R. Johnson.
Hamilton, O.—John Connor, Mrs. M. E. J. Walker, C. Stein.
Industry, Ill.—G. G. Shannon and family, Miss Effie Seward and Skid Rennington.
Kansas City—S. H. Worley, D. C. Gamble.
Kansas—S. Huff and wife.
Lancaster, O.—J. H. Annulter.
Los Angeles—Mrs. M. C. Carpenter.
London, Canada—John Gerny and John Taylor.
Lyons, Iowa—C. D. Scott.
Michigan—S. J. Reed and family.
Milan, Mo.—S. Block.
Melrose, Mass.—David McKay.
Mansfield, O.—W. K. Lasser, H. J. Lasser.
New York—L. D. Young.
North Adams, Mass.—Lyman Bennett.
Ottawa, Kan.—W. H. Jones and wife, S. H. Blair and family.
Providence—Sam Bonus.
Pasadena—George A. Stewart and family.
Painesville, O.—E. A. Kennard.
Quincy, Mich.—Mrs. F. C. Brickley.
Ridgeton, Canada—Miss Call and child.
Racine, Wis.—S. C. Delano and wife.
Springfield, Mass.—L. M. Abbey.
St. Louis—E. J. Shassfurther.
Storm Lake, Iowa—Enos Williams, H. F. Fisher.
Spiceland, Iowa—J. P. P. Mitchell.
Topeka—B. W. Ferrald.
Watertown, N. Y.—J. H. McCrea, F. L. Baker, John Wigging and W. Bruce.

Incorporated.

Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday by the Pasadena Improvement Company. The purpose is to acquire land in San Gabriel township, and to improve, subdivide and sell the same. The directors are John P. Woodbury, Edwin C. Webster, P. M. Green and L. R. Winans, of Pasadena; Leonard J. Rose, of San Gabriel; George H. Bonebrake and N. W. Stowell, of Los Angeles. Capital stock, $1,000,000; all subscribed.

The First English Evangelical Lutheran Church, of this city, was incorporated yesterday. The following are the trustees: William Rommel, Alfred Jeffery and Samuel A. Crumline, all of Los Angeles.

EASTERN EVENTS.

Daring Outrages by Strikers in New York.

Non-union Men Assailed and Savagely Beaten.

The Philadelphia City Election Carried by Republicans.

An American Engraver Honored—Startling Suicide at Niagara Falls—Employment Refused to the Strikers in New York—Other Eastern News.

By Telegraph to The Times.

JERSEY CITY, Feb. 15.—[By the Associated Press.] The striking freight-handlers who were employed here by the railroad company today sent a committee to wait upon Superintendent Barrett and arbitrate the present difference. Superintendent Barrett informed the committee that there were no vacancies and that no employment could be at present given by the company.

Several encounters occurred at Hoboken this afternoon between non-union 'longshoremen and strikers. A mob of strikers congregated at the Wilson line's dock and assaulted four of the new men with clubs. One man was cut under the eye by a cotton-hook. Police reserves were called out to prevent further trouble. A short time afterward a 'longshoreman employed on Thingvalla line docks was beaten by strikers with clubs, and a gang of Italians and Bohemians employed at the Sixth-street docks were attacked and driven into a neighboring house, where one of their number drew a revolver and held the strikers at bay. For this the strikers caused his arrest, but he was discharged by the magistrate.

The proprietors of a storehouse in Brooklyn have a large number of non-union men whom they refuse to discharge, and it is necessary to keep police on duty to protect them. Two or three hundred of the strikers were set to work, but they were not recognized as union men.

Failed for Over $500,000.

GALVESTON, Feb. 15.—The wholesale dry goods and boot and shoe house of Block, Oppenheimer & Co. filed for record this morning a transfer of their entire stock and also of their business premises in payment of obligations due to local creditors. These local debts aggregate $225,000, chiefly to banks and local capitalists who indorsed for the firm. The stock was invoiced, aggregating $308,000. The total liabilities of the firm will reach $576,000, nearly all of which, except that which is secured as above, is owing in New York.

Awarded a Medal.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—A correspondent of the Tribune writes that Robert Hoskin, the wood engraver, whose work is familiar to readers of Harper's, Scribner's and the Century, has received notification from Vienna that he has been awarded one of the three gold medals, the only one for wood engraving on exhibition in that city, of the International Society of Graphic Arts. The work exhibited by Hoskin was an engraving of David Neal's painting, entitled, "Cromwell visiting Milton."

Jumped into the Rapids.

BUFFALO, Feb. 15.—John Stever, a resident of Suspension Bridge, aged about 70 years, procured a ticket from the gate-tender at the entrance of the railroad at Suspension Bridge this morning, about 10 o'clock, and after peering strangely over the railing, jumped into the rapids, falling 190 feet.

Philadelphia Goes Republican.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 15.—Comple returns from 29 wards and estimates of the remaining two give Filter (Rep.), for Mayor, nearly 28,000 majority; Clay (Rep.), for Receiver of Taxes, 7000 majority; Warwick (Rep.), for City Solicitor, probably 45,000 majority.

Partial to Quail.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Emil Paul last night finished up the last of eighty-two quail, eaten in forty-one consecutive days After disposing of the last brace he ate five more quail off-hand.

THE WEATHER.

Synopsis for the Past Twenty-four Hours—Indications.

LOS ANGELES SIGNAL OFFICE, Feb. 15.—At 4.07 a.m. today the thermometer registered 42; at 12.07 p.m., 50; at 7.07 p.m., 49. Barometer for corresponding periods, 29.72, 29.72, 29.76. Maximum temperature, 53.0; minimum temperature, 42.0; rainfall past 24 hours, 2.78. Weather at 7.07 p.m., cloudy.

INDICATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Indications for the 24 hours commencing at 4 a.m., February 16th: For California—light rains in southern portion and in extreme northern portion; fair weather in central part.

Accident to a Stage.

MERCED, Feb. 15.—The Mariposa stage, which left here yesterday morning and should have returned last night, did not arrive until this afternoon. The stage was upset in a swollen stream near Hermitos. Both horses were drowned. All the passengers escaped without injury. The driver was taken out nearly dead, but will recover. All streams in the vicinity are swollen and most of them overflowing their banks.

Stocks and Bonds.

By Telegraph to The Times.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Money on call at 2½ @4, closing offered.

Sterling exchange dull and steady at $4.85½ for 60 days, and $4.88½ for demand.

The principal features in the situation at present are the expected early resumption of specie shipments to Europe and the probable arrival of stocks sold for Europe account some time back, either or both of which are expected to have an unfavorable effect upon values. This afternoon, upon the reported death of a gentleman supposed to be a large holder of Union Pacific, attacks were made upon this stock and its loss ranged up to 1 per cent. Central Pacific was also a sufferer at the same time upon unfavorable advices from Washington. The opening was tame and rather heavy. There were some slight advances in the first few minutes, but later prices yielded small fractions under the efforts of the bears. Although a material decline was made in New England during the forenoon, some slight improvement was made after that time on an extremely dull market which was soon neutralized by an attack upon Pacific. A better feeling was noticed in the last hour, however, and the market closed steadier to firm close to opening figures. Petroleum opened weak at 62⅜c, declined steadily at 60¾c at noon, rallied to 61¼c, and closed steady at 60⅞c. Sales, 3323 barrels.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

		NEW YORK, Feb. 15.	
3 per cents	100	Or. Navigation	102
*4 per cents	128½	Transcontinental	32⅜
*4½ per cents	110	Or. Imp'ment	40
Central Pacific	35½	Pacific Mail	55¾
Rio Grande	24	†Texas Pacific	24⅞
Kansas & Texas	30⅜	Union Pacific	55¼
Northern Pacific	27¾	United States	62
N. P. preferred	58¾	Fargo	28
Northwestern	114¼	Western Union	73¼
N. Y. Central	112⅛		

*Coupon.
†Second assessment paid.

Senator Sherman is at work on a book of reminiscences.

NO ROOM.

The Straits That Hotel Men are Driven To.

Despite the increase of hotel facilities in Los Angeles within the past year, the hotelkeepers still find that their greatest difficulty lies in furnishing accommodations. The devices of doubling beds in rooms and lodging people in corridors and parlors have long been worked to their utmost and still people are turned away. A reporter of THE TIMES who happened to be standing by the counter of the St. Elmo yesterday witnessed the latest phase of the standing quandary. It was raining pitchforks outside and a gentleman wanted a room for himself and wife. There was no room to be had in the St. Elmo, and the gentleman was about to turn sorrowfully away to plod around in his almost hopeless search, when Boniface Bilderrain scratched his head and said, "Hold on; I'll take you to my private residence. You shall not be turned out without a shelter."

This shows the extremities to which hotel men are driven. In conversation with the reporter afterward, Mr. Bilderrain said: "If I had a hundred additional rooms in the St. Elmo, I could fill them all."

The Courts.

In Judge Cheney's court, in the case of The People against E. J. Baldwin the judgment of the lower court was reversed.

In the case of Ah Sam the judgment of the lower court was reversed.

A motion for arrest of judgment in the case of the State against Charles H. White was argued and taken under advisement.

A plea of not guilty was entered by Charles Curlew.

Before Judge Austin Jack G. Smith was found guilty of battery, fined $50 and committed.

Joseph Mayer was found guilty of petit larceny, fined $150 and committed.

John Hesler, same charge, guilty and fined $60. He was committed.

The charge of battery was proved against José Romero and he paid his fine, $3.

Joseph Clark was held to answer to the charge of burglary; his bail fixed at $500. He was committed.

In Justice Taney's court, the Indian Sylvestre on the charge of murder, had his examination set for February 21st.

The examination of John L. Fonck, charged with embezzlement, was set for February 19th, and the trial of William Vetter, charged with petit larceny, set for February 18th.

"Bayn'climate."

[San Bernardino Times.]

Once upon a midday dreary, while we sat us dreamy, weary, on a sand-hill by the shore—by San Diego's golden shore—turning o'er Time's treasured pages, asking what the future ages for San Diego had in store; and the breezes, ever sighing, and the sad waves kept replying, as their white caps kissed the shore, "Bay'n'climate"—nothing more.

BUSINESS TOPICS.

You Must be Hard to Suit

If the attractions offered by the Mondonville tract don't satisfy you:
The beautiful city at your doors.
The lovely plains at your feet.
The immense ocean before you.
The picturesque mountains all around.
And above all, the salesroom of that charming place within your reach. Rooms 1 and 4, Postoffice Building.

Real-estate Investors

Should remember that T. Wiesendanger and W. H. Bonsall have moved into their new offices in the Bryson block. Consult them about choice bargains in real estate or shares in syndicates and incorporations controlling the same.

The Cheapest in the Market.

Two fine lots for sale on Adams street. Nice cement sidewalk in front of each lot. Price, $300 each; very cheap. Inquire of owner, No. 656 San Fernando street.

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$1100—Fine lot on Myrtle ave., in the Childs tract, on the best side of the street, near Twelfth st.

$2000—First-class lot on best side of Temple st., close in; cheap; 52x150.

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$4000—Splendid bargain, on Grand ave., 6-room house and fine location; splendid investment.

$4000—6-room house, on a good lot, not far from cable road; very easy payments; $500 cash, $500 six months, balance to suit; furniture included.

$1000—Lot 50x150, Angeleño Heights; beautiful lot and cheap.

$2200—One acre on south side of Washington street.

$1250—Half-acre, one block from Washington st.; bargain.

$1100—Beautiful lot on Angeleño Heights.

$700—Beautiful lot in the Walker tract.

$17,000—9¼ acres in the city; makes about 40 nice lots; also other acres for subdivision.

$3000—New cottage of 5 rooms, all hard finished, on splendid lot 60x135.

$2500—Five-room new cottage on nice lot, splendid location; bargain.

$2200—Lot on Pearl street, 60x155, genuine bargain.

$3500—Beautiful 5-room cottage, splendid location, near street cars, neatly and nicely furnished; come and see it.

$1600—Cottage of 4 rooms; good lot, 50x120; near church and school; Morris Vineyard.

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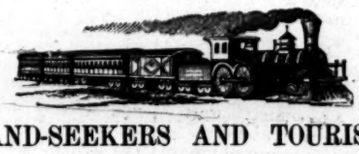

LAND-SEEKERS AND TOURISTS

SHOULD SEE THIS LAND OF VERDURE AND PERPETUAL SUMmer before locating elsewhere. Trains leave Los Angeles via Southern Pacific Company's Central California route at 7:30 p.m., THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17th. Excursion tickets (good only on this train and date), for SAN JOSE and the FAR-FAMED SANTA CLARA VALLEY, at ONE PRICE FOR THE ROUND TRIP! Purchasers will receive rebate, $6.45, making the fare $15. Tickets good on any regular train for return on or before February 28, 1887. This will give all an opportunity to attend the GRAND CENTRAL CALIFORNIA CITRUS FAIR, which opened at SAN JOSE on the 7th inst. Also an opportunity to visit the world-renowned Lick Observatory, Santa Cruz Mountain Big Trees, and all points of interest in the Santa Clara Valley, so properly named by Bayard Taylor, "THE GARDEN OF THE WORLD."

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Tickets now on sale at 202 Main Street, Los Angeles.

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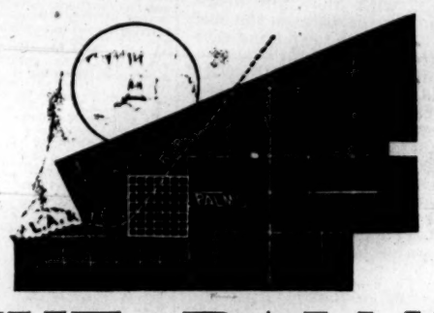

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Compton.

ANOTHER LETTER FROM "N. O. BOOM."

COMPTON, Feb. 13.—[Correspondence of THE TIMES.] "Are all these things for you and me, wife?" I asked as she untied her bundles and erected a huge pyramid of dry goods and millinery on the dining table; "and are those tiny slippers for me and that beautiful silk for my dressing gown?"

"No, they are not. They are our daughter's."

"Whose?"

"Our daughter's, Ona Boom."

"She is, is she? How the plague spreads, and now it has struck our household. Send her at once to Topolobampo or 'Flamboyancy' or anywhere."

"Why, husband, how you talk. What do you mean?"

"If our daughter is on a boom, we don't want her. Seriously, wife, we must have no more booms at our house."

I know I ought not to write up these little family episodes; and yet there are no great events or acts that so faithfully portray the character, loves, longings, ambition and the real make-up of a people so much as the vistas into home life; and what a key to knowledge it is! It unlocks the laboratories of nations and reveals their power, from which we may anticipate their future by their character and longings. How eager is mankind for this information! Wars and great throes and works of nations are valued only as they record the chartcteristics and home life of a people.

When standing in the temple of Karnac, we wonder not so much at the magnificence of its massive colums and heroic architecture, as we query how lived, and loved and what were the thoughts of the builders of these ruins, and a rude tool or a fragment of pottery comes nearer to the heart of the ancient toiler than all these huge columns and towering walls. What has Karnac to do with Compton? Perhaps much. It may be that right here the architect planned and drafted the temple, and Old Baldy as he looks today, crowned with snow, may have suggested the sphinx.

Cushing says that the Zunis have a tradition that they lived once in Southern California on the coast, and that their race extended over Mexico, Central America and much of South America. Donnelly says that the submerged continent of Atlantis, in the Atlantic Ocean, was peopled by the same, and Plato says that Greece and Egypt were colonized by people from Atlantis. Then what is more reasonable to suppose than here at Compton, in this beautiful valley, the center of the grandest scenery on earth, that it should have been the home of the ancient poets, painters and architects, and that when looking upon the grandeur around them the temples of Thebes and the pyramids and obelisks of Egypt, as well as the wonderful works of Western Asia should have been conceived.

Mrs. Fletcher in her lecture here last night said: "Any fool can doubt." I, therefore, may expect doubters to the above plausible theory.

WIND AND WATER.

All of the coast valleys fronting on the sea in Southern California are healthy locations. They are swept length and breadth daily by the ocean winds, cooling and purifying, or rather displacing, the old with fresh air, and most of the talk about one section being healthier than another is nonsense. Altitude and temperature probably have some effect, and low temperatures and altitudes are as often beneficial to the invalid as high; but as to the purity of the air, there is nothing in it—it's all pure.

At Compton the valley is broad and the winds are comparatively uniform in velocity. They are never violent as when compressed in narrow valleys and passes. My ideas may be illustrated by a river flowing rapidly through narrows; the water is arrested above and tarries below. The temperature of the few desert winds we have are perceptibly lowered by the mingling of the ocean air. Our lands require less rain than the foothills country and we have less. The home rains never produce a flood here. When we are flooded it is always with mountain water, brought by the Los Angeles River. After the water has passed its narrow confines and disperses over the plain below your city its power for harm ceases and its usefulness commences. It spreads out evenly over the plain, growing wider and less deep on its way to the sea, and by the time it reaches Compton it is a rippling sheet of "thin water," thick with mountain débris, which it quietly deposits on the land, fertilizing it with the mold and accumulations from the moutain sides; and the Compton farmer hails with delight these floods, that occur perhaps once in every decade. There are slight depressions, serving for waterways, which quickly drain the land, and in 12 to 24 hours all surplus water has passed on, and is absorbed by the sea.

It is gratifying to see how lands at Compton have gone up since you commenced publishing these letters. They are nearly out of the reach of buyers.

N. O. BOOM.

Edgemont.

A CORRESPONDENT'S TASTE OF THE BOOM.

EDGEMONT, Feb. 14.—[Correspondence of THE TIMES.] Your correspondent has been silent for a time, but not for want of something to say. We are not at all selfish, and, of course, other towns, such as Santa Ana, Anaheim, Pasadena, etc., must be allowed a slice of the Eastern cake. But Edgemont has not been standing still. The boom has certainly struck us. It is in the air and everywhere. Real-estate men are eagerly inquiring for Edgemont land, and shrewd investors see money in it at $200 per acre and upward. Better still, a good class of people are buying homes for themselves and making improvements. It would take too much of your valuable space to mention all the improvements, but we must not leave out our church building, which has received a coat of paint and is ready for doors and windows. It is a fine edifice, a credit alike to the community and the builder. With the Cahuenga Mountains for a background, it can be readily seen from a considerable distance south of Temple street.

The Ostrich Farm steam motor road is being rapidly graded and will prove a valuable spoke to connect us with the hub. A postoffice and general store would be a great boon.

I venture a prophesy that in the near future some shrewd and enterprising person will erect a fine hotel on one of these splendid sites, and it will be full to overflowing with guests charmed with this lovely spot; and then others will say: "What a fool I was not to see money in that venture!"

Let me give your readers a bit of personal experience. I bought land here ast April, and now I can sell it all if I wish for four times what I paid. This is what some would call a 4 per cent. investment. I am satisfied with it. The credit of this investment is due to my wife and The WEEKLY MIRROR.

A year ago last Christmas my wife made me a present of your valuable paper and a short time after called my attention to an advertisement of land for sale on the Lick tract (now Edgemont). I purchased and the results are very gratifying. The price of land is still advancing, and I believe that investments will yield from 50 to 150 per cent. in a year.

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No. 608—Fine ranch, near city, 107 acres, all level land, fine soil, small orchard; house of 6 rooms, good well, windmill and tank, barn, corrall, shade trees, etc., a bargain for a few days only, per acre..... 55

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20,000—65x89, cor. Upper Main and Bellevue ave.

2,000—100x117½, York st., near Grand ave.

1,000—Lots 13 and 34, block 5, Williamson tract.

13,000—66x150, Sixth st., opposite the park.

5,000—50x139, First st., near A., T. & S. F. depot grounds.

6,000—Four lots on Virgin st., near Orphans' Home.

750—49x140, Court st., near Patton.

1,000—Lot 23, block B, Sunset tract, 50x150.

5,000—150x185, Adams st., cor. Severance.

6,000—62x185, Buena Vista st., near Bellevue ave.

500—Lot 16, block 15, Brooklyn Heights.

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BUSINESS.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES, Los Angeles, Tuesday, Feb. 15.

In the local markets today higher prices ruled for Poultry; Cheese was 2 cents lower; Eggs were higher, being quoted at 27@30c.; Potatoes were slightly higher. The remainder of the list was unchanged.

Stocks and Bonds.

By Telegraph to The Times.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCKS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.

Best & Belcher	10 12½	Savage	5 62½
Chollar	7 87½	Hale & N	5 25
Crocker	90	Potosi	8 12½
Con. Virginia	20 50	Sierra Nevada	4 95
Peer	40	Utah	6 75
Peerless	50	Yellow Jacket	5 00
Ophir	12 12½		

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—Silver bars per cent. discount, 21@23.

The Grain Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—Wheat: Quiet; shipping, $1.45. Barley: Quiet; feed, $1@1.02½; brewing, $1.10@1.15. Corn: Dull; California large yellow, $1@1.05; small, $1.07½@1.10; white, $1.05@1.07½.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—Wheat: Weak; cash, 73⅝c; May, 79 9-16c. Corn: Weak; cash, 34¼c; May, 39⅝c.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—Close—Wheat: Weak, lower; cash, 72⅞c; May, 78⅞c; June, 80⅝c. Corn: Easy; cash, 34c; May, 39¼c; June, 40c. Barley: Nominal; 50@52c.

Pork.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—Pork: Strong; cash, $14.05; May, $14.22½. Close—Firm; cash, $14.15.

Petroleum.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 15.—Oil broke heavily to $1.60½ per bbl. today.

Los Angeles Produce Market.

The following is the official record of the Los Angeles Produce Exchange, corrected daily. In the quotations, unless otherwise stated, it is to be understood that the first figure is the highest price bid and the last the lowest price asked. These quotations are for round lots from first hands; for small lots out of store higher prices are asked.

RYE—Rye, No. 1, $1 25 asked.

WHEAT—Australian, No. 1 white, $1 35@1 50; Gold Drop, $1 25@1 40; white Russian, $1 60 asked.

BARLEY—Feed, No. 1, $1 00@1 15.

SEED—Alfalfa, new, $11 50 asked; Mustard, 3c bid.

HAY—Barley, W.B., No. 1, $14 50@16 00 asked; Mixed Hay, $13 00 asked; Alfalfa, W. B., new, $14 00 asked; Wheat, W. B. Northern, $16 50 asked; Oat, R. B., $17 00 asked.

BEANS AND DRIED PEAS—Bayous, $2 05 asked; Pink, No. 1, new crop, $1 80@1 90; Navy, small, $2 25 asked; Black-eyed, $1 00 asked; Limas, $2 75@3 50; Garavancos, $3 00 asked; Green Field Peas, $2 00 asked; Lentils, $3 00 asked.

EGGS—Fresh, 27@30c.

POULTRY—Hens, No. 1, per doz, $7 75 bid; old roosters, $6 00 bid; young Roosters, $7 50 bid; broilers, large, $5 00; small, $4 50 bid; Ducks, large, $7 50 bid; small, $6 50 bid; Geese, $1 25 bid; Turkeys, 16c bid.

MILLFEED—Bran, $22 00 asked; Shorts, $24 00 asked; Cracked Corn, $1 15 asked; Cracked Barley, $1 30 asked; Ground Barley, $1 30 asked; Rolled Barley, $1 30 asked; Mixed Feed, Corn and Barley, $1 30 asked.

BUTTER—Fancy roll, per lb, 20c asked; Choice roll, 19c asked; Fair roll, 18c asked; Choice Ferkin, 15c asked; Pickle roll, per lb, 16c asked; Cooking 15c asked; Mixed Store, 17½c asked.

CHEESE—Large, 16c asked; small, 17c asked; do. 3-lb hand, 18c asked.

FLOUR—Los Angeles XXXX, Extra Family Patent Rolled Flour, $5 90 asked; Capitol Mills Extra Family Patent Rolled Flour, $5 90 asked; Pioneer or Crown, $5 90 asked.

CORN—Large yellow, car-load lots, 90c bid; do. small, yellow, $1.05@$1 10; large white, $1 05 asked.

POTATOES—Early Rose, Northern, choice, $2 00 asked; Irish Beauties, $2 25 asked; Peerless, $2 25 asked; Peachblows, $2 25 asked; Humboldts, $2 25 asked; Sweet Potatoes, white and red, $2 00 bid; yellow, $2 50 bid.

ONIONS—Northern Yellow Danvers, $2 50 @3 50.

DRIED FRUIT—Peaches, sun dried, No. 1, 10c; do No. 2, 7½c; do peeled, 15c; do No. 2, 12c; Pitted Plums, 12½c asked; Blackberries, 12½c; Prunes, Cala. French, new crop, 7¼@10c bid; do. German, 7c; Apricots, evaporated, 25c. Apples: Evaporated, 11c asked; Hunt's Alden, 14c; sun-dried sliced, 5c.

HONEY—Extracted light, 3¾@4c; job lots, 5c, asked; Amber, 3c bid; Comb, 10@12c. bid.

BEESWAX—Beeswax, 17@19c.

VEGETABLES, MIXED—Chilies, 12c asked per lb; Garlic, 6@8c; Cabbage, per 100 lbs, $1 00 @1 50.

GRAIN BAGS—M. S. 22x30, 6¼c, asked; Mill Sacks, 5c, asked; 1886 Calcutta spot, 6⅜c; Potatoe Sacks, 4½c, asked.

LIVE STOCK—Live hogs, 3@4c.

RAISINS—Layers, $1 50 asked; Extra London layers, new $1 75 asked; Three Crown layers, new, $1 75 asked; Loose Muscatels $1 50; Bulk raisins, 5c asked; Dried Grapes, 2c, asked.

NUTS—Peanuts Cala. No. 1, 6c asked; do Cala. No. 2, 3c asked; do Eastern, 7½c asked; Almonds, S. S., 18c asked; do H. S., 10c asked; Walnuts, new, 11@15c.

CITRUS FRUITS—Oranges, $1 75 asked; Lemons, seedling, per box, $2 00 asked; Eureka and Lisbon, $3 50 asked; Limes, $1 25 asked.

PROVISIONS—Extra light bacon, 11¼c asked; Light, 10c asked; Clear Medium, 10½c asked; Medium, 9c asked. Heavy, No. 1, 8c asked.

WOOL—Spring clip, 8@10c, bid.

SKINS—Short wool, each, 15@30c, bid; Long Wool, $1 00, bid; Shearlings, 10c, bid.

HIDES—Dry, 16c, bid; Kip, 15c, bid; Calf, 18¼c, bid.

HAMS—Eastern sugar-cured, 13¼c asked; California, 10c asked.

LARD—40 pound tins, 8c asked; 3-pound pails, 8¾c asked; 5-pound pails, 7½c asked; 10-pound pails, 8c asked.

Real Estate Transfers.

[Reported by the Abstract and Title Insurance Company.]

TUESDAY, Feb. 15, 1887.

CONVEYANCES.

[Only those transfers of $1000 and over are specified below. Those below $1000 are summarized at the end of the list.

Mrs M Rhodes to R W Bull: Lot 7, Mills's subdivision of lot 1; De Celis Vineyard tract, $1625.

M Hagan and Mrs Mary J Parker to Thomas B Henry: Lot in block 23, O S, $12,500.

George Jones to Helen M Kenyon: E 49 acres of SE ¼ of SW ¼, and all SW ¼ of SE ¼ of section 20, township 1 N, range 8 W, $3000.

F L Jones to Z L Underwood: Lot 2, McQuilling's subdivision, Pasadena, $6100.

L F Miller, W L Carter and C H Frost to G W Lawrence, E H Elliott and F M Underwood: Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, Miller, Carter & Frost's subdivision of part of lot 8, block B, San Pascual tract, $8850.

W T Carskaddon to F C Howes, trustee: 15 acres in NE ¼ of section 36, township 1 S, range 14 W, $7500.

William Gibson to H M Newell: N ½ of lot 10, Vanderlip & Rowan's subdivision in Ro Santiago de Santa Ana, $3150.

James W Edwards to T F Hallowell and Margaret E A Hallowell: Lot 16, block 1, Washington Gardens tract, $1050.

Mary C Gower, Mary L Gower, George T Gower, Henry C Gower, Charles W Gower and Harriet F Gower to Samuel D McIntyre and William S Fenno: 20 acres in SW ¼ of NW ¼, section 14, township 1 S, range 14 W, $4000.

H Nadeau to M L Wicks: Lot 6, block 45, H S, $11,000.

John Grant to H W Mills and M L Wicks: Lots 36, 60, E ½ lot 7, W ½ lot 34, W ½ lot 18, E ½ lot 29, W ½ lot 2, W subdivision of Lick tract, $4527.50.

J A Forthman and William B Bergin to J E Fulton and M D Crawford: Lot 1, block 7, lot 8, block 9, lots 5 and 9, block 10, lots 4, 8 and 12, block 11, lots 12, 22 and 25, block 14, lots 2, 8, 11 and 16, block 16, lot 8, block 17, lots 11, 12 and 15, block 18, lots 9, 12, 15 and 16, block 19, lots 3, 6, 14, 19, 22, 24, 30, 32 and 34, block 20, Brooklyn tract, $5600.

Louis Gottschalk to John F Clark: Lot 9, block 7, O W Childs 200-lot tract, $1650.

Geo W King to Thomas Kelley: Assignment of undivided ½ interest in agreement to convey lot 5 and W 25 acres of lot 6, block 41, and lots 3, 4 and 6, block 40, H S, $5250.

Sheldon Borden to Frank Cross: Lot 15, Arlington tract, $1250.

John L Luke to same: Lot 2, block 4, Fair View tract, $1250.

J W Hinton, trustee, to Charles Charnock: Agreement to convey lots 114, 115 and 116, Victor Heights tract, $2200.

James Montgomery to Annie Rose Sanderson: Lot 7, block L, Mott tract, $5000.

Charles H Howland to F C Howes, trustee: N ½ of E ½ of SW ¼ section 25, township 1 S, range 14 W, $6000.

ATTACHMENTS, LIENS, ETC.

E J Baldwin and Richard Garvey vs John H Temple: Notice of action to recover possession of block L, of subdivision of Ro Poterero de Felipe Lugo.

E J Baldwin vs John H Temple: Notice of action to recover possession of NW 10 acres of Ro La Merced.

William Schwalm vs Mary E Schovly: Attachment levied on lots 13 and 15, block 19, East Los Angeles.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Caroline M C Thomas and G Roscoe Thomas to L F Miller, W L Carter and C H Frost: Partial release of mortgage book 81, page 621.

Andrew M Murray to Francis M Underwood: Power of attorney.

JUDGMENTS.

Helen C Cole vs James F Cole: Divorce.

John McCoy and William T Clapp vs Amelia A Dyer, formerly Todd, Caroline L Davenport, Emma J Geer, Fannie R Bronson, Clara G Kavanaugh, D D Kavanaugh, trustee, George W Dyer, agent, John Doe, Richard Roe and William Doe: Final decree in partition of block A, and lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, block B, of subdivision of lot 1, block C, San Pascual tract.

SUMMARY.

Total transfers in above list	20
Total amount of consideration	$91,502.50
Number of transfers each below $1000	12
Total amount of consideration	$2,845.00
Tranfers for nominal consideration	4
Aggregate of the day's transfers	$94,347.50

Departures by Steamer.

The Los Angeles sailed north yesterday with the following passengers:

For San Francisco—C L Carter, G H Kelly, W Smith, J Phillips and six steerage.
For Santa Cruz—L M Barnes.
For Port Harford—F H Messmore.
For Santa Barbara—P Jacobson, Mrs A M R McCoy, Hon Charles Fernald, J D Dunlap.
For San Buenaventura—M Blackstock.
For Lompoc—W August, Charles Veit.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

At the St. Elmo: E. W. Trask and wife, Illinois; E. W. Walters, Louisville, Ky.; W. C. Hurd, St. Louis; P. G. Fisher, San Francisco; W. Scott, Cincinnati, O.; H. Yerrington, Banning, Pa.; B. M. Frees, Chicago; George A. Hunter, Colton; W. A. Bibb, Milwaukee; Mrs. Simmonds, John May, Kansas City; S. V. Hovey, Detroit; Frank Jewett and wife, Miss Undell, Grand Rapids; Mrs. Eddy and child, Boston; E. Berger and wife, Cawker, Kan.; T. Ewing, Lincoln, Neb.; T. J. Blackstone, Oskaloosa; A. C. Tullis, St. Louis; Mrs. J. Fowler, Chicago; Hon. C. Chappell, W. N. Jeffers, East Saginaw; E. W. Parkhurst, St. Louis; J. A. Dufresne, San Pedro; F. F. Klosterman and W. Sterling, Illinois; Miss Julia Stevens, Mrs. Hayward, Chattanooga.

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Dated at Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 14, 1887. 3-16

NOTICE OF MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.—Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the California Coöperative Colony will be held at Board of Trade rooms, in the city of Los Angeles, on THURSDAY, THE 3d DAY OF MARCH, 1887, at 7:30 p.m. Such meeting is called for the purpose of adopting a code of bylaws for the government of said corporation, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.
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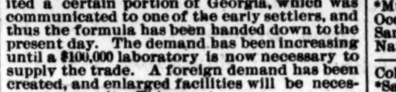

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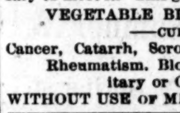

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Depart.		Arrive
* 9:21 a.m. †10:36 a.m. ‡ 2:36 p.m. † 4:16 p.m. * 5:36 p.m.	ON WEEK DAYS ONLY.	* 7:54 a.m. † 8:54 a.m. *12:04 p.m. † 1:39 p.m. ‡ 4:54 p.m.
*11:08 p.m.	Theater Train—Tues'd'y, Thursd'y, Saturd'y	* 7:24 p.m.
†10:36 a.m. † 5:46 p.m.	ON SUNDAYS ONLY.	† 8:54 a.m. † 4:39 p.m.

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Trains leave and are due to arrive at Los Angeles daily as follows:

Leave For.	Destination.	Arrive From
8:00 a m.	Colton & San Gorgonio	7:00 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	Colton & San Gorgonio	4:25 a.m.
8:00 a.m.	...Deming and East...	7:00 p.m.
8:00 a.m.	...El Paso and East...	7:00 p.m.
1:30 p.m.	San Fran & Sac'mento	11:40 a.m.
7:30 p.m.	San Fran & Sac'mento	7:20 a.m.
9:20 a.m.	Santa Ana & Anaheim	3:45 p.m.
4:40 p.m.	Santa Ana & Anaheim	7:45 a.m.
9:30 a.m.	.....Santa Monica.....	11:50 a.m.
12:20 p.m.	.....Santa Monica.....	4:00 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	.....Santa Monica.....	7:50 a.m.
9:40 a.m.	Long Beach & S. Pedro	4:25 p.m.
4:50 p.m.	Long Beach & S. Pedro	7:55 a.m.
9:15 a.m.	.....Santa Paula.....	4:00 p.m.

A change has taken place in the receipt and dispatch of mails on line of railway, Los Angeles and San Pedro branch. Hereafter mails will be dispatched to Florence, Compton, Long Beach, Wilmington and San Pedro daily on train leaving Los Angeles at 9:30 a.m., and received at 5:15 p.m. T. H. GOODMAN, General Passenger and Ticket Agent.
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SOUTHERN ROUTES.

TIME TABLE FOR FEBRUARY, 1887.

Steamers.	Coming South. Leave San Francisco.	Coming South. Arrive San Pedro.	Going North. Leave San Pedro.	Going North. Arrive San Francisco.
Santa Rosa	Jan. 25	Jan. 27	Jan. 29	Jan. 31
Los Angeles	" 27	" 29	" 30	Feb. 2
Queen of Pac	" 29	" 31	Feb. 2	" 4
Eureka	" 31	Feb. 2	" 3	" 6
Santa Rosa	Feb. 2	" 4	" 6	" 8
Los Angeles	" 4	" 6	" 7	" 10
Queen of Pac	" 6	" 8	" 10	" 12
Eureka	" 8	" 10	" 11	" 14
Santa Rosa	" 10	" 12	" 14	" 16
Los Angeles	" 12	" 14	" 15	" 18
Queen of Pac	" 14	" 16	" 18	" 20
Eureka	" 16	" 18	" 19	" 22
Santa Rosa	" 18	" 20	" 22	" 24
Los Angeles	" 20	" 22	" 23	" 26
Queen of Pac	" 22	" 24	" 26	" 28
Eureka	" 24	" 26	" 27	Mar. 2
Santa Rosa	" 26	" 28	Mar. 2	" 4
Los Angeles	" 28	Mar. 2	" 3	" 6
Queen of Pac	Mar. 2	" 4	" 6	" 8

The steamers Santa Rosa, and Queen of Pacific leave San Pedro for San Diego on the dates of their arrivals from San Francisco, and on their trips between San Pedro and San Francisco call at Santa Barbara and Port Harford (San Luis Obispo) only. The Eureka and Los Angeles call at all way ports.
Cars to connect with steamers leave S. P. R. R. Depot, Los Angeles, as follows:
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TIME TABLE.
(Taking effect Sunday, November 14th.)

	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Los Angeles....Leave	7.00	9.10	5.00
San Gabriel	7.23	9.29	5.20
Pomona	8.23	10.30	6.10
Colton....Arrive	9.15	11.20	*7.00
Colton....Leave	.....	11.25	7.50
Citrus	.....	11.35	8.05
Perris	.....	12.17	9.30
Murrietta....Arrive	.....	1.10	11.10
*Murrietta....Leave	.....	1.30	12.25
Oceanside	.....	3.38	2.15
San Diego	.....	5.22	6.05
National City....Arrive	.....	5.40	6.30
Colton....Leave	9.20		
*San Bernardino	9.45		
Victor	12.08		
Barstow....Arrive	1.20		
	P. M.		
Barstow....Leave	2.55		
Victor	4.05		
*San Bernardino	6.20		
Colton....Arrive	6.45		
		A. M.	P. M.
National City....Leave		8.00	9.30
San Diego		8.23	10.00
Oceanside		10.07	12.20
*Murrietta....Arrive		12.07	.....
Murrietta....Leave		12.27	4.55
Perris		1.19	6.05
*Colton....Arrive		2.10	7.25
Colton....Leave	7.00	2.15	8.00
Pomona	7.50	3.02	8.51
San Gabriel	8.40	3.52	9.40
Los Angeles....Arrive	9.00	4.15	10.00

BETWEEN COLTON AND SAN BERNARDINO.

	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Colton....Leave	8.00	11.30	2.20	7.10
San Bernardino.Arrive	8.15	11.40	2.30	7.25
San Bernardino.Leave	7.20	11.05	1.55	6.40
Colton....Arrive	7.35	11.15	2.05	6.50

RIVERSIDE BRANCH.

	Mixed. A. M.	Mixed. P. M.	Pass. A. M.
Colton....Leave	9.20	7.15	11.20
Citrus	9.30	7.30	11.39
Riverside....Arrive	9.42	7.50	11.50
		P. M.	P. M.
Riverside....Leave	8.40	6.25	1.40
Citrus	8.52	6.45	1.52
Colton....Arrive	9.02	7.00	2.05

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Trains are run on Pacific standard time.
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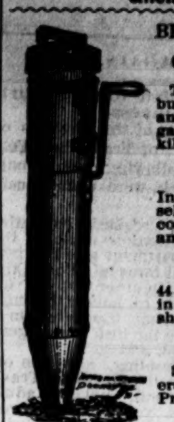

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REMOVAL.—THE SOUTHERN Pacific Transfer Company have removed their office from No. 2 W. First st. to the northeast corner of First and Main sts., where they will be pleased to see their patrons. On and after Monday, February 14th, they will check baggage at all hotels, lodging-houses, private residences and at their office for all trains of the Southern Pacific Company. Baggage delivered to any part of the city. All kinds of freight handled with care and dispatch. Shipments made to any part of the United States. Telephone 15. All calls promptly attended to.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a meeting of the stockholders of the California Land Improvement Company will be held in room 8, Schumacher block, in Los Angeles city, Cal., on the 1st day of March, 1887, at 2 p.m. of that day.
The meeting is called by the undersigned stockholders of said company for the purpose of electing a new board of directors in place of the present one.
JOHN E. PLATER, CHARLES F. CHAFFEY, Stockholders.
J. BREDEN, Secretary.

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Proposals.

Notice to Contractors.

In pursuance to an order of the Board of Trustees of the city of Riverside, sealed proposals will be received at the office of the City Clerk, in the city of Riverside, San Bernardino county, Cal., until 12 o'clock noon on the 7th day of March, 1887, for the construction of a main outlet sewer for Sewer District No. 1, in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 71 of the city of Riverside. Said sewer to consist approximately of 1980 feet of ten-inch pipe, 8742 feet of twelve-inch pipe, fifteen manholes and 125 "V" branches.
Forms of proposals and copies of the specifications, with instructions to contractors, can be obtained of the Superintendent of Streets of the city of Riverside, and the plans and profiles of the same may be seen at his office.
Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check, payable to the order of the President of the Board of Trustees of the city of Riverside, for $500, as a guarantee of good faith on the part the bidder. The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
This notice is published in accordance with a provision in said order of the Board of Trustees, requiring an advertisement to be inserted in the Riverside Daily Press, Riverside Valley Echo, LOS ANGELES TIMES and the San Francisco Call. C. W. FINCH, Superintendent of Streets.
Riverside, San Bernardino county, Cal., Feb. 7, 1887.

Proposals for Drayage.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA, OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, ARMY BUILDING, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, Feb. 12, 1887.

SEALED PROPOSALS, IN TRIPLICATE, subject to the usual conditions, will be received at this office until 11 o'clock a.m., on Saturday, March 12, 1887, at which time and place they will be opened in the presence of bidders, for the hauling of military stores and supplies in the city of Los Angeles, Cal., during the remaining portion of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1887.
Blank forms of proposals containing the particulars of the service required, and conditions, etc., will be furnished upon application at this office. The United States reserves the right to deliver the whole or any portion of the stores to the contractor; also, to reject any or all bids.
Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Drayage," and addressed to the undersigned.
A. S. KIMBALL, Quartermaster U.S.A., Chief Quartermaster.

VILAS AGAIN.

Another Kick Applied to His Penurious Highness.

At a special meeting of the directors of the Los Angeles Board of Trade, held February 10, 1887, the following resolutions, offered by Mr. Brodrick, were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, despite the requests, entreaties and respectful representations made by the postmaster to the department at Washington that more clerical force be allowed the office in Los Angeles, in order that the office could be enabled to handle the enormous business now being transacted in a manner satisfactory to the just and urgent demands of our people, and

Whereas, notwithstanding, also, the official requests made by this Board of Trade to the Postmaster-General, sufficient additional force has not yet been allowed (though some extra men have been granted); therefore, be it

Resolved, by the directors of the Los Angeles Board of Trade, that our citizens take the matter into their own hands, and that they be requested generally to contribute to a fund, to wit, $400, in order that the postmaster may be enabled to pay at least two additional clerks for the period of three months.

Resolved, that in order to make this movement a general one on the part of our people, this board suggests that contributions to this fund should not be in excess of $1 each, and that in this way the whole sum be raised.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be given to the press for publication, and also to the agent of the Associated Press in this city.

PERSONAL NEWS.

J. M. Topliff and wife, of Columbus, O., are in the city.

George A. Hunter, of Colton, was at the St. Elmo yesterday.

S. P. Hovey, of Detroit, Mich., was among the St. Elmo guests yesterday.

Edwin I. Ames, an artist lately of Boston, has taken up his residence in Los Angeles.

Thaddeus Dean and sister, of Chicago, came yesterday in the Texas and Pacific excursion.

Hon. Charles Fernald, of Santa Barbara, "the politest man in the State," went home on the Los Angeles yesterday.

Edward H. Norton and J. C Davis, Cambridgeport, Mass., came in with the Texas and Pacific excursion yesterday.

Col. E. A. Reiman, of Wichita, Kan., is in the city comparing the Los Angeles boom with that of his own growing section.

F. Jewitt and wife and Miss Udell, of Grand Rapids, Mich., arrived last evening by the Texas and Pacific excursion, and will spend some time here.

At the Pico: Thomas Merrill and son, and H. H. Hill and wife, Saginaw, Mich.; H. L. Lamey, Kansas City; Fred Weis, Dayton, O.; J. J. Brown and wife, Omaha.

At the Natick House can be found the following late arrivals: T. P. Hallcraft, Topeka; Dr. Adams, San Francisco; H. L. Foster, Stillwater, Minn., and O. K. Arnold, Sussex, N. B.

The following excursionists arrived and registered at the St. Charles yesterday: James Pauley, Minneapolis; D. Beverly, St. Louis; A. A. Jackson, Philadelphia; J. O. Donnell, Buffalo, N. Y.

C. W. Smith, first vice-president and general manager of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé Railroad, is now in San Diego, and will come to this city as soon as the railroads are in running order.

BRIEFS.

The Queen of the Pacific sails south today.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to H. T. Cooley and A. M. Beaumont.

Many persons went the rounds of the hotels last night in fruitless search for lodging.

The last of the interesting Knapp art lectures is booked for 2 p.m. today, at I. O. G. T. hall.

The Angel City Lodge, No. 3289, K. of H., gives an entertainment at East Los Angeles tomorrow evening.

The municipal delegation naturally did not go to Sacramento yesterday, but will today if a train goes north.

H. T. Cooley and Miss A. M. Beaumont, both employés of the Abstract and Title Insurance Company, were married last night.

The excursion of fruit men to Riverside to inspect the cold-storage process now in operation there has been postponed—probably for a week.

J. H. Bennett, general freight and passenger agent of the Denver and Rio Grande Western Railway, writes that "the scenic line" is o. k. for winter travel, and has not had a delay on account of snow this season.

While a gentleman was being shaved in the same room with a real-estate office on Monday, when the rain had just got a good start, he heard three customers come in and order their real estate marked up $500 each.

On account of the weather and in the supposed interest of the public, the managers of the Charity Ball are endeavoring to arrange for its postponement. THE TIMES of tomorrow will give notice if a change of date can be effected.

There are at the Western Union Telegraph office the following undelivered telegrams: Robert Brose, Baughman, N. Coblentz, Morrill Russell, Mrs. W. Butler, D. Ellsworth, K. N. Shannon, Benjamin B. Briggs, Ed. West (care John McLellan), Plummer Magoon, James F. Lock, Mary Whelpley, Frank Cross, G. W. Thompson, M. W. Wood, William F. E. Washburn, S. Chapman, T. H. Morris, Jr., F. D. Shorns, Frank Clark (care of F. A. Burns), W. M. E. White, Mrs. Charles Riley, Frank G. Senter.

A Clever Job.

While burglaries and thieving are on the increase in this city, it is comfortable to know that the police of the city are fully keeping pace in the matter of arrests. For neat detective work and prompt conviction of criminals the following is an instance: On Saturday Eugene Tyler had a forty-dollar suit of clothes stolen and Officer Fred Smith went to work upon the case. On Sunday he found the clothes in Marteen's second-hand store and got a description of the man who sold them. On Monday morning Smith got a scent, captured his man at 3 in the afternoon, had him convicted the same day and on Tuesday morning sentenced to 150 days in jail. A man registering later as F. Euke, snatched a silver watch from another man's hand last night and took to his heels. Fred Smith took part in the chase, overhauled the thief and delivered him at the police station in short order.

Tan Players Fined.

In the Mayor's Court yesterday the 16 men of Celestial origin, who were so neatly surprised while at a game of tan by Officer Smith in disguise, appeared in a row before the court, plead guilty and were fined in the sum of $10 each, with $15 additional upon the keeper of the resort. There was a great variety of expressions on their faces as they marched out discharged. They were all of the wealthier class.

Eastern Visitors

Are cordially invited to call at the cosy rooms of the Riverside Agency, 239 North Main street, where they will find an exhibit of fine fruit it will interest them to examine.

Our Bargains Today are

Lots 1 and 7, Block 4, Angelene Heights; 1¼ acres, Pasadena; 17½ acres in Lick tract at $150 per acre. Immigration Land Company, 330 North Main street.

Shirts made to order at Eagleson's & Co.'s. 30 North Spring street.

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The streets have been graded. Water is piped across the NOB HILL TRACT, and work will be commenced early next month on Kirkwood College.

The NOB HILL TRACT lots are only six minutes' walk from the Belmont Hotel, and the new motor road will pass within one block.

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Mr. C. H. Hance, the popular druggist, at No. 77 & 79 N. Spring st., is always on the alert to secure for his customers the best and purest medicines that can be obtained. His most recent acquisition is the agency for one of the most reliable preparations known for coughs, colds, croup and sore throat, viz: Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is put up in large bottles and sells for 50 cents. It is manufactured at Des Moines, Iowa, and has for several years been the most popular medicine in use for throat and lung troubles throughout the Northwestern States, and is acknowledged to be the best. Mr. Hance will have it in stock March 10th.

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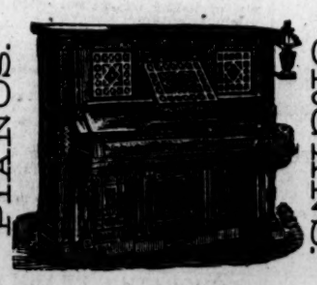
PIANOS.  ORGANS.

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Below we give a sample of the cures effected by us.

LOS ANGELES (Cal.), Sept. 24, 1886.

Dr. M. Hilton Williams—DEAR SIR: I have been contemplating for some time past making a statement of my case and the benefit I have derived from your treatment, remembering how glad I would have been could I have seen something of the kind from a person in the city to whom I could have referred, when I first came to Los Angeles from my home in New York State.

I had been suffering for several years with what various physicians in the East pronounced "chronic ulcerated laryngitis." I spent considerable time at the Clifton Sanitarium, and employed the best medical skill I could find, all without any permanent benefit, and, a last resort, our family physician recommended Los Angeles. For a time I improved, and then I began to go backward and all my former symptoms returned.

Through a medical friend I was induced to try your treatment, which I did August 29, 1884. I become very much discouraged at times, but persevered, as I felt almost desperate and knew of nothing else to turn to. My throat trouble, being aggravated by a serious stomach difficulty, made it very obstinate to deal with, but at last, after persevering for a time with the use of your remedies, I consider I am permanently cured. If this will be of any value to you, you are at perfect liberty to use it; also to refer any one to my mother, my husband or myself. Very truly yours, MRS. J. D. WILEY,
821 Olive street, Los Angeles, Cal.

RIVERSIDE, Oct. 17, 1886.

To the many testimonials won by Dr. Williams it gives me pleasure to add my own to the list so highly in his favor. For nearly two years I had been suffering from throat and lung trouble, brought on by catarrh. Had tried many remedies in the meantime, but found only temporary relief. After two months' treatment, prescribed by Dr. Williams, my cough left me altogether and I now have no pain in my throat or lungs as formerly. I cannot speak too highly of the benefits I have received and shall ever be grateful to one who is worthy of the highest recommendation.

Miss MINNIE H. HARRIS, Riverside, Cal.

NEWHALL (Cal.), Sept. 22, 1886.

Dr. Williams—DEAR SIR: I write to tell you how much I thank you for what you have done me. My catarrh and deafness, which have been a burden to me for so long a time, are entirely cured, and my general health so much improved that I feel like a different person. Thanking you again for your many deeds of kindness, I am respectfully yours,

Miss ANNIE RICHARDS.

LOS ANGELES (Cal.), Dec. 4, 1886.

Dr. M. Hilton Williams—DEAR SIR: I desire to let every man, woman and child know that you were instrumental in saving my life from that foul destroyer, consumption. I came to Los Angeles from Quincy, Ill., on the 10th of June, 1886. The very next day I began treatment. I was at that time afflicted with a large cavity in the upper lobe of the right lung, from which I had suffered ever seven years, but, thank God, you cured me in 16 weeks' time, and now I am as well and strong as ever. Tell it to all. Yours truly, JAMES JESSOP, Quincy, Ill.

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